Cain Names 'War Buddy' to Tax Job

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Weather — Rain, somewhat colder tonight, lowest about 45; Friday cloudy, colder.

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WALL ST. CLOSE

Today

Where Is Santa Claus?
Bank, or Rail Stock?
4 Spades, or Starry Heavens,
Japan Breaks It Gently.

—By ARTHUR BRISBANE—

CHRISTMAS TOMORROW, last chance of 1931 to increase happiness and diminish the depression.

Millions of children, fortunately for their young imaginations, still believe that Santa Claus exists, and will see them, if they are good.

Millions of adults HOPE the prosperity Santa Claus is not dead permanently and will resume his visits if we show intelligence.

WALL STREET, trying to take its sorrows humorously, tells this among other end of the year anecdotes. An experienced trader, asked "If you had any money to invest would you rather buy the stock of a certain great bank, or that of a certain great railroad?" replied:

"I should buy the bank stock, because I think a year from now it will be carrying more people than the railroad."

DR. CHARLES GRAY SHAW, teacher of philosophy in New York University, who recently said those that whistle are morons, now tells the world he thinks little of bridge. The contract bridge match he calls "one of the most disagreeable features of the present depression," and adds that bridge "weakens life's emotions."

People play cards, he says, "to stimulate their limp nerves," and recalls that "cards were invented to amuse a jaded monarch."

CONTEMPLATION OF the heavens that declare the glory of God is nobler than contemplation of four spades, three diamonds, two hearts and four clubs, with no "tops" among them.

But the French say truly:

***"Chacun prend son bonheur ou il le trouve."* "Each takes his happiness where he finds it."**

"The starry firmament and the moral nature of man" interest some of us. Others are interested in a "full house" or an "inside straight." We cannot all be alike."

LITTLE BY little, Japan tells the world, including the league and this meddlesome country, her intentions in Manchuria. She gives it out gently, to avoid sudden shock, suggesting the kind-hearted man who cut off his dog's tail half an inch at a time, not having the heart to cut it all off at once.

Having invested more than a thousand million dollars in Manchuria, Japan proposes to take the place and keep it, to protect her investment, getting rid of bandits, running the country on a business basis.

If the League of Nations and Uncle Sam don't like it, they may lump it.

OUR FRIENDS in Europe, including the British, like the Japanese, are supplying their bad news in small installments. The latest is that England proposes to demand a revision of her debt to us, "OR VEN REPUDIATION." You soon forget about your back being "against the wall," but paying debts continues to be uncomfortable.

A LATE Associated Press dispatch from Basel, Switzerland, yesterday, reads:

"Germany will be unable to make the conditional reparation payment due at the expiration of the Hoover debt holiday, the Young Plan Advisory Committee asserts in its final report adopted tonight."

That Germany admittedly cannot pay sums that she promised as a conquered nation is now plain even to those that were to get the money.

DEPARTMENT STORE owners are interested in the fact that a great New York establishment controlled by John S. Burke, in November and December, 1931, has passed the 1930 record in number of sales and gross receipts.

Newspaper publishers are interested in Mr. Burke's statement that improved conditions, in spite of depression, are attributed largely to aggressive newspaper advertising. Mr. Burke hereafter will save money spent on costly circulars, and other store literature distributed through the mails, and add the amount saved, hundreds of thousands a year, to productive advertising in daily newspapers.

SENATOR BORAH demands that all salaries paid by the United States above $2,000 be cut 10 per cent. That would apply to Representatives, Senators, members of the cabinet, Judges, everybody.

Senator Borah is more concerned about what the people think in Idaho, and other places remote from Washington, than about opinions and feelings of those with whom he associates at the capital. His suggestion is unselfish, since it would cut his own income, and he is not a rich man.

BUT WITH ALL the gold we have, all the money, this country ought to be able to solve its problems without slashing wages or salaries, just as it ought to be able to prevent hunger while it has 200,000,000 bushels of wheat stored away, and farms rich in cattle at low prices.

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Pope Extols America in Christmas Message

$1,262,646 FRICK GIFTS DISTRIBUTED

CAIN NAMES VETERAN TO TAX JOB

Brown Given Rich Plum as Delinquent Collector; Succeeds Walter Christy

John Brown, Jr., of Emeworth, wartime buddy of Capt. Robert S. Cain, today landed one of the richest plums in the local political game. He was appointed County Delinquent Tax Collector by Treasurer-elect Cain, to succeed Walter J. Christy.

The appointment of Brown was a big surprise to the political dopesters. Little had been heard of him during eight years he had been on the county force and the guessers had assigned the delinquent tax office plum to various others, better known.

Brown, a native Allegheny countian, served in the Spanish-American War in Porto Rico and in the Philippines with the Fifth United States Cavalry. He served with Cain in the 111th Infantry during the World War. He was assistant county paymaster for four years and assistant cashier in the Sheriff's office for four years. He is a member of various Masonic bodies.

He resides with his wife and daughter at 156 Center avenue, Emsworth.

ARMSTRONG'S WILL FILED

The will of County Commissioner Joseph G. Armstrong was filed for probate today. The estate, as anticipated, when Senator Joseph G Armstrong took administration papers several days ago, is estimated at $80,000.

The will leaves the estate to the five children.

In his own handwriting, on a sheet of plain paper, the late political leader wrote the terms February 1, 1927, three years before he had married his second wife, Mrs. Ethel Wilson.

The wife is not mentioned in the document, but under the law receives one-third of the estate. Otherwise the children will divide the estate, except for Armstrong's insurance, which was left to a son, William, "on account of his bad health."

State Senator Joseph G. Armstrong, Jr., was named administrator several days ago, the wife having renounced her rights. The other children are Mrs. Edna Bird Kauffield, Mrs. Frances E. Lemmon, Dorothy and William Armstrong.

Gibson Will Head U. S. Arms Group

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Hugh S. Gibson, ambassador to Belgium and head of America's delegations to the preparatory disarmament commission, will be selected by President Hoover as a delegate to the Geneva arms conference, it was learned today.

Mary Emma Wooley, president of Mt. Holyoke College, first woman to serve at such an important parley of nations, was named yesterday as a delegate.

Tug Feared Lost, Steams Into Port

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—While United States and Canadian patrol boats searched heaving seas off Cape Flattery for her, the tug Roosevelt, with 12 men aboard, escaped the fury of a storm and reached shelter in Neah Bay safely today.

Nothing had been heard from her since she messaged "for God's sake, hurry," last night.

Wooden-Gun Bandit Foiled by Girl Clerk In Downtown Store

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

MISS FRANCES SCHOTT

When Miss Schott, 23, screamed at a midnight order to "hold them up," former Constable Henry Warner captured Suspect James McCaffery, accused of attempting the holdup of Boreman's drug store, Liberty avenue.

'Hill' Man Confesses He Tried Robbery to Buy Child Gift

With a wooden gun James McCaffery, of 606 Congress street, admitted in Central Police Court today he tried to hold up the girl cashier of Boreman's drug store at Liberty avenue and Stanwix street last midnight.

McCaffrey said he wanted money to buy a Christmas present for his daughter.

When the cashier, Frances Schott, 23, heard McCaffery's command to "hold them up," she pressed a hidden button which summoned other clerks. McCaffery fled, but was captured after a chase by a former constable, Henry Warner, 12 Ainesworth street.

McCaffery was held for court on a charge of attempted robbery.

Brushing aside a number of women who blocked his flight, a robber eluded pursuit early last night after holding up and robbing the manager and clerk of the Porter-McCune Company, wholesale grocers, at 119 South Eight-

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Man Slain in Theft Of Christmas Tree

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Suspected of having stolen a Christmas tree, a man identified as Woodrow Schumaker, 25, was shot and killed by one of three policemen as he fled in an automobile early today.

DANDELIONSBUD FOR YULETIDE

A green Christmas with dandelions blooming in the countryside will greet Santa Claus when he arrives on his annual visit tomorrow.

Cloudy weather, with slightly lower temperatures, is forecast, but no likelihood of snow. The rain will cease tonight, according to Forecaster W. S. Brotzman. The low point of the mercury tomorrow will be in the 30s.

Not since 1881 and 1882, when outdoor picnics were held on Christmas and New Year's, has there been such a mild early winter, Brotzman asserted. The excess for the month thus far is 174 degrees and for the year to date 628 degrees.

The dandelions were reported by South Hills residents.

Pittsburgh Doctor Flies To Ohio, Saves Girl

A Pittsburgh physician brought happiness into a home in Steubenville, O., by making an airplane trip to the Ohio city and performing a delicate operation on a 4-year-old girl.

Answering a summons from Dr. C. W. Sunseri, of Steubenville, Dr. A. J. Guerinot, of the Westinghouse Building, a specialist, flew to Steubenville late yesterday. He removed a pin which had become lodged in the throat of Josephine Potachini, 4.

After completing the operation, Dr. Guerinot returned to Pittsburgh.

POPE LAUDS U.S. IN YULE MESSAGE

King George and Ex-Kaiser To Celebrate; Russia in Anti-Religious Campaign

International News Service.

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24.—The United States of America is the only country in the world involved in recent international meetings that has not forgotten the name of God, Pope Pius XI told the cardinals here today in responding to their Christmas greetings. His Holiness declared:

"The name of God seems to have been forgotten recently in all the international meetings, with but one exception—the United States. On Thanksgiving Day that nation recalled the benefits God had shown it and that great country alluded to the universal beneficence of God to the world."

The Pontiff alluded sorrowfully to the world-wide economic crisis, saying that he was "overjoyed at the success of the appeal made in my last encyclical." He pointed out that the Vatican is now employing 5,000 workmen, "doing work that is not of an urgent nature."

The nations of the world must declare anew their determination to bring about peace and disarmament, the Pope declared.

EYES ON BETHLEHEM

BETHLEHEM, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—The eyes of the Christian world turned once again toward Bethlehem today. In the ancient Church of the Nativity, built over the traditional spot where Christ was born, the first of a series of Christmas services will be held at midnight.

Pilgrims from all over the world will crowd into the edifice to hear mass said by the Latin patriarch, assisted by gorgeously robed prelates, acolytes and choristers.

Below, in the Grotto of the Nativity, hundreds of devout will file past a marble manger, sym-

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Two Bandits Kidnap Cafe Man, Steal Car

Two bandits kidnaped Mike Cavoulas, 49, of 817 Huey street, McKeesport, as he took his car out of his garage to go to his restaurant at 5 o'clock this morning. After driving several miles, they robbed Cavoulas of about $500 worth of jewelry and cash, he told police, and put him out of the car near Renziehausen Park.

Triplets Yule Gift Of Mother of 7

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Mrs. James Adams today gave her husband three Christmas presents. Each was a boy.

The Adams' have seven other children, five boys and two girls.

"The Rest Is Calvary"

by George P. Phair

Humble of heart, upon this blessed day
The world pays homage to the Prince of Peace.
One day alone, the wretched wranglings cease.
The grisly schemes of state are laid away.

Mankind emerges from the common clay
A little while to lift his thorny crown.
To ease the cross that bears his shoulders down.
And then the morrow comes, a rack of gray.

Strife rears its head again by land and sea.
The Star of Bethlehem is blotted out.
The dogs of war resume their snarling rout.
One day of grace—the rest is Calvary.

And what more blessed morn than this to pray
That life might be an endless Christmas Day!

Third Party Public's Hope If Democrats and G. O. P. Remain Blind

Several distinguished leaders of the Democratic party after much intellectual travail have evolved as the Democratic watchword for 1932 the phrase:

"Hee haw! We are coming back!"

If the Democratic party is a joke and its emblem properly a jackass, then the motto selected is appropriate enough.

But what kind of a motto is "Hee haw! We are coming back!" for a party of high patriotic principle and of sincere resolve to serve the public and the nation.

Imagine Mr. Jefferson, creator of the Declaration of Independence and founder of the Democratic party; or Mr. Madison, inspiring author of the federalist papers; or Mr. Monroe, sponsor of the patriotic Monroe doctrine; or Gen. Jackson, the hero of New Orleans and of the greater battle against the United States Bank; or Mr. Cleveland, who protected the American people from privileged power and maintained the integrity of the western hemisphere from foreign aggression,—

Imagine the great leaders of the great party which outlined the fundamental principles of our government and more than doubled the extent and importance of our country, devising as a fit expression of their principles and their purpose, the truly asinine motto:

"Hee haw! We are coming back!"

But the Democratic party of today has no leaders and apparently no principles.

The Republican party is a discredited failure, and the Democratic party a contemptible imitation of a discredited failure.

The Republican party is going out of power because it has followed Mr. Hoover; and the Democratic party is trying to come into power by following the same blind leadership.

When the blind lead the blind, both fall into the ditch; and when the blind lead the dumb the same catastrophe occurs.

Mr. Hoover is an internationalist of the Wilson order, and that means the order which got us into the great war and is still trying to involve us further into the costs of it and the consequences of it.

Mr. Roosevelt is the same kind of an internationalist and so is Mr. Baker, and so is Mr. Ritchie, and so is Mr. Al Smith,—all Wall street internationalists,—all more interested in foreign nations and Wall street investments in foreign bonds than they are in the welfare of the American people.

The hope of the Republican party is in Calvin Coolidge. The hope of the Democratic party is in John N. Garner.

Failing these, the hope of the public is in a third party.

Hee haw! Perhaps the jackasses are NOT coming back.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

INSTITUTIONS HERE GIVEN BEQUESTS

Court Authorizes Payment Of Sums Designated in Steel Magnate's Will

Christmas gifts to many Pittsburgh charitable institutions as well as to Harvard and Princeton universities were contained in a decree of Orphans Court today distributing $1,262,646 of the estate of Henry Clay Frick, coke and steel magnate.

Miss Helen C. Frick, a daughter, receives $160,212 under the distribution.

Other beneficiaries and amounts received follow:

H. C. Frick Educational Fund Commission, $123,240; Mercy Hospital, $123,240; Princeton University, $369,720; Harvard University, $123,240; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, $123,240; Society of the Lying-In Hospital, New York, $36,972; the following institutions $12,324 each, Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh; Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, and Allegheny Home for the Friendless, Kingsley House Association, Pittsburgh Free Dispensary, Pittsburgh Newsboys' Home, West Penn Hospital, Central Y. W. C. A., Uniontown Hospital, Connellsville State Hospital, Westmoreland Hospital, Greensburg; Braddock General Hospital, Homestead Hospital.

Today's distribution was the final one of the Frick estate. Previously the same beneficiaries had received approximately $3,000,000 in the same proportions.

QUIT JOBS OVER DEER MEAT

Failure of employes of the State Game Commission to receive a share of deer taken by game protectors was one of the reasons back of the latest rumpus in the commission, which resulted in five of eight members resigning, according to information made public at the Governor's office today.

Four employes of the commission, including an office boy, filed "charges" with Gov. Pinchot against the commission, one of the complaints being that they had not received any deer meat, but that it had all been given to hospitals. The four were dismissed as disloyal by the commission. The Governor demanded their reinstatement. The resignations followed.

Those who stepped out were Ross L. Leffler, of McKeesport, president; Jared M. B. Reis, New Castle; Harry C. Stackpole, St. Mary's; Francis H. Coffin, Scranton, and J. A. Beck, Williamsport. Remaining members are Dr. W. H. Moore, Philadelphia; Adolph Muller, Norristown, and R. E. Reitz, Brookville. Councilman John M. Phillips quit during Pinchot's administration in a squabble over an order demanding personal observance of the dry laws.

Park Denies He Will Subpena Schooley

Without qualification, District Attorney Andrew T. Park today denied a report that he would subpena Roy D. Schooley, deposed City Treasurer, to testify before the grand jury when that jury takes up the investigation of the Treasurer's office next week.

Park's statement:

"I have not subpenaed Schooley to appear before the grand jury and have no intention of doing so."

WIFE OF KIDNAP SUSPECT HELD

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Mrs. Ethel DePew, wife of Martin DePew, wanted in Kansas City for the kidnaping last week of Mrs. Nell Donnelly, wealthy manufacturer, was arrested today when she arrived at the home of her sister here.

Mrs. DePew was arrested on the orders of Sheriff Arthur Rabb, who took her from the county jail to an unannounced destination for questioning.

Mrs. Depew was reported to have told Sheriff Rabb that she had left her husband at Buffalo, N. Y., and that he had gone to Canada when they separated yesterday, after he had revealed himself as the principal in the Donnelly kidnaping.

Sheriff Rabb said Mrs. Depew told him she had been employed three days in the Donnelly home as a nurse during the holidays last Christmas, but said she informed her husband she was "not going another step" with him when she learned of his connection with the kidnaping.

American Woman Missionary Seized

FOOCHOW, China, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Harriet Halverstadt, of Wellington, Kan., a missionary, was captured by bandits today.

Soviet Bares Assassins' War Plot

MOSCOW, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—A sensational plot to assassinate the Japanese ambassador to Soviet Russia, M. Hirota, with the object of provoking war between Russia and Japan, was officially disclosed here tonight.

An employe of the commissariat of transport, an official statement said, reported that he had been urged by "a member of a diplomatic mission at Moscow" to arrange for Hirota's assassination, which "would certainly provoke war between Russia and Japan."

Judge Soffel Revokes Edict Taking Child From Mother

This Christmas will be a joyous one for Mrs. Louise Williams O'Leary and her 3-year-old son, "Sonny." Sonny, who was taken by the home-finding department of the Juvenile Court by order of Judge Sara M. Soffel more than a week ago, was returned to his mother yesterday. Mrs. Martin Noah, Jr., of 1415 Margaret street, Munhall, with whom Mrs. O'Leary is living following eviction from her home, said:

"We're so glad to have him back. When we saw him yesterday we couldn't help crying—it was so wonderful. I don't know where he was while he was away. He must have been in a very good home, though, because he was very clean when we got him and had had breakfast."

The day after "Sonny" was taken from her, Mrs. O'Leary found a job, Mrs. Noah revealed.

At a hearing before Judge Soffel yesterday, a plea for the return of the child was made by Attorney A. C. Hetts.

COUNTY LEGISLATORS WRANGLE FOR HOURS OVER JOB RELIEF

ASK GOVERNOR TO CALL NEW PARLEY

Members Fail to Agree on How to Aid Jobless of State; Disagree Over Tax

By MARK SHIELDS

In a resolution adopted last night at a meeting of legislators from Allegheny County and adjoining counties, as well as citizens of all shades of opinion, Gov. Pinchot is asked to call a conference of civic and political leaders in an effort to reach a workable compromise plan for adequate unemployment relief.

Adoption of the resolution followed three hours of discussion and declamation in the Bar Association rooms in City-County Building and came after two-thirds of the legislators had gone home in the same bewilderment which has surrounded them for the six weeks of the special session.

SENATORS IN DISPUTE

During the discussion it developed that even Senators after six weeks in Harrisburg were unable to agree within $75,000,000 as to how much money in the state treasury is available for relief. Senator Rial, of Westmoreland County, approximated the treasury balance at $85,000,000. Senator Mansfield, Allegheny, explained that every cent of this money was allocated to state expenses and that at the end of the present biennium the state will be in the red $10,000,000.

That divergence of opinion was indicative of the chaos in which the meeting became involved. Called by Senator Morris Einstein at the instance of Senator Frank J. Harris, author of the resolution adopted, the meeting was intended to inform legislators of unemployment solutions in the minds of average citizens.

NO PLAN ADVANCED

At the conclusion of the meeting no plan had been advanced, though there was a unanimous demand for relief—most of the speakers insisting that it should be provided by some magic without any tax increases.

Representative Fred Gangloff, of Coraopolis, moved that the legislators be instructed to seek relief revenue through a tax on amusements and bank checks, but consideration of this suggestion was shut off when Harris asked action on his resolution.

At periods during the meeting so-called radicals and conservatives jangled, and Einstein used all his diplomacy to preserve an even balance. Claims of legislators that the Talbot bill, for $10,000,000 in direct relief, which the Governor will permit to become a law without his signature, was unconstitutional, brought the radicals to the fore in a new role.

TALBOT BILL BACKED

They presented themselves as champions of that arch-conservative, former Senator George Wharton Pepper, who rendered to the Republican organization an opinion that the bill was legal, thus taking issue with Attorney General William A. Schnader. The argument was advanced that the Constitution should be nullified through recognition of a "state of war," this coming from extreme advocates of civil liberties.

Mansfield clarified the discussion with an observation that no person should go home with the belief that relief could be afforded without additional taxation.

In addition to the Allegheny County delegation legislators present included Senators Weingartner, Parkinson, Rial, Bell and Painter, and Representatives Patterson, Richards, McKenna, Black, Reader, Brahm and Denman.

Pleas for relief were presented by several speakers. Rabbi Samuel Goldenson declaring that the problem was large enough to demand the attention of state and nation.

'TWAS THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

By Quin Hall

TALBOT COURT TEST SURE

HARRISBURG, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Talbot $10,000,000 direct appropriation measure which will become a law Saturday through failure of Gov. Pinchot to act on it, will have its constitutionality tested by court action.

Legal experts today indicated that Mrs. Alice F. Liveright, secretary of welfare, would not make any requisitions for payments in view of Attorney General William A. Schnader's ruling that the bill is unconstitutional. Some board or agency directly affected by the bill will then institute a mandamus suit in the local court against Mrs. Liveright. Regardless of the decision, an appeal would be taken, either by the state or the parties instituting the mandamus action, to the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Representative D. Glenn Moore, administration floor leader in the House, today said that members of the Legislative League are questioning the continuation of the "farce" of the special session called for unemployment relief. He said:

"We are agreed that the Legislature might as well adjourn if an agreement on relief is not reached immediately."

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STORE BANDIT FOILED BY GIRL

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enth street. The loot, according to police, amounted to $200.

Malcom Fisher, manager, of 218 Amanda avenue, and Charles Reed, clerk, of 130 North Negley avenue, were the only occupants of the store during the holdup.

Burglarly of the Evy Linn Frock and Dress shop, at 534 Smithfield street, was believed frustrated today by arrival of Patrolman Edward McCall, making his early morning rounds. McCall said he found a basement and front door jimmied. Nearby was Frank Fickley, 25, of 175 St. Joseph street. He was arrested on a suspicious person charge.

ROB RESTAURANT

Two men held up the Rainbow Koffee Shop, 330 Penn avenue, and escaped with $50 from the cash register, Frank Marcus, waiter, told police.

W. C. Swartzley, of 180 Hutchinson street, sitting in a parked automobile at Commercial and Whipple street, was robbed of $8 by two armed bandits.

Lillian Rutherford, of 209 Riefert street, reported to police that while her automobile was parked at Tenth and Carson streets, two suits of silk pajamas valued at $15 and a purse valued at $8 were stolen by thieves.

'LEGS' KILLING SUSPECT HELD

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 24.—(INS)—Sought for six days for questioning in connection with the slaying of Jack (Legs) Diamond, Sylvester Hess, of Watervelt, surrendered to the authorities today.

Hess was one of the two men, outside the actual killers, who was with Diamond less than an hour before three bullets were fired through the rum-soaked brain of the gangster as he slept unguarded in a Dove street rooming house.

Hess was released after being grilled about his movements after he stepped out of the taxi in which Diamond was being taken from his last tryst with Marion (Kiki) Roberts to what turned out to be the gangster's tryst with death.

Yaule Mail Awaits On Hunt for Serum

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 24.—(INS)—In the next to the last pouch in four carloads of mail was found the pneumonia serum that may save the life of Howard Tustin.

For hours Tustin's life hung in the balance while frantic postal clerks suspended all handling of Christmas mail and searched for the little package that had been ordered from Seattle.

Richard Dix Accused As U. S. Tax Dodger

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Richard Dix, screen star, whose real name is Ernest C. Brimmer, was charged with evading payment of approximately $31,925 in income tax for the years 1927 and 1928, in an information filed in Federal Court here yesterday.

Police Play Santa In East Pittsburgh

East Pittsburgh police assumed the role of Santa Claus to more than 1,200 destitute children when they distributed shoes and stockings to needy families throughout the borough late yesterday.

The shoes and stockings, more than 1,200 pairs, were purchased with the proceeds from a benefit dance held by the police department.

2 SHOT, REFUSE TO NAME FOES

Refusing to name his assailant, Frank Toth, 47, a roomer at 1114 Crawford street, Duquesne, was in a critical condition in McKeesport Hospital today suffering from two bullet wounds in his left chest, one a few inches above his heart.

According to police, Toth said the shooting occurred about a mile below Duquesne. Following the shooting, he is believed to have walked home and gone to bed. He was found in his room nearly an hour later by a housekeeper.

John Hohman, 45, of 815 Linden avenue, East Pittsburgh, is in Braddock Hospital where police say he refused to tell how he was shot. He was found in an alley in East Pittsburgh with a bullet wound in his abdomen.

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BOMBS WRECK HOMES; ONE MAN FLEES

Duquesne and Sewickley Neighborhoods Rocked by Blasts; Pet Dog Killed

Two time bomb explosions early today demolished a house in Dravosburg and partially wrecked another in Sewickley, half a block from fashionable Beaver road.

No one was injured in either blast, but windows in many houses in a wide radius were shattered.

Hurling the front portion of the home of Mike Repeple, of Ravine street, near Duquesne avenue, Dravosburg, across the street, the blast reduced the building—a three-story frame structure—to splinters.

PET DOG DIES

The house was unoccupied except for a pet dog which was found dead in the ruins. Mrs. Repeple and four children left Dravosburg early yesterday for Clairton to spend the holidays. Later County Detective Joseph Bodner arrested Repeple and turned him over to the fire marshal. Bodner said Repeple left the house early today.

Chief of Police Charles Livingstone, of Dravosburg, fired two shots at a man he saw running from the scene. Russell Hopkins, of Fifth street, told Chief Livingstone that a short time before the ex[illegible] an automobile with five occupants sped past him in the direction of the Repeple home.

Repeple had been unemployed for more than a year and is said to have carried $6,500 insurance on the property.

BLAMED ON RAID

Sewickley police attributed the blasting of the home of Mary Massi, at 330 McCready way, to a raid one of the Massi family recently caused upon a neighboring moonshine joint when he fell from a tree while intoxicated, police said.

The explosion wrecked the front part of the home, destroying the porch and demolishing windows in neighboring houses and the Sewickley Riding Academy stable nearby. Mrs. Massi, her daughter, Josephine Alemeno, 25, and son-in-law, Albert Alemeno, 30, were the only occupants of the house at the time. Carl, 16, had just parked his automobile in front of the building and walked down the street when the neighborhood was shaken by the blast.

Fire swept through the Penner's Clothing Shop, First street and Grant avenue, Duquesne, early today, with an estimated loss of $7,000.

FOUR PAROLES YULE GIFTS

Paroles were granted today by Judge James H. Gray in Criminal Court so that four prisoners could spend Christmas with their families.

Mabel Daugherty, 26, of 229 Gregg street, Monongahela, who several months ago pleaded guilty to the theft of $4,000 from the Fulton Theater, was paroled on condition that she return to her home in Monongahela and listen to her mother. Miss Daugherty was a ticket seller at the theater.

Tony Carozza, 40, of Clairton, father of five, who on May 23 was found guilty of voluntary manslaughter, was paroled for eight years. He fatally stabbed John Perticone, 26, also of Clairton.

Joseph Bentz, 26, of 3060 Wayne street, and Frank Szwssodek, 34, of 346 Harmar street, found guilty several months ago of violation of the election laws, were paroled for six months.

Beaver Falls Steel Vice President Dies

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Dec. 24.—Cullen Armstrong, 58, vice president and sales manager of the Beaver Falls Steel Company, is dead at his home from pneumonia.

Romance Conquers; $10,000 Bride Now To Marry for Love

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

MISS MARY ($10,000) CLOWES . . . . . MARRYING FOR LOVE!

New Eagle 'Auction' Girl Engaged to Beauty Shop Man

Mary Clowes, the attractive 21-year-old blonde who wanted to marry for money, is going to marry for love—free of charge.

A childhood sweetheart, who, hearing of Mary's offer to wed for $10,000, offered her financial aid, is the prospective bridegroom. He is W. G. Stanton, now proprietor of a Philadelphia beauty shop.

Today he announced he and Mary planned to be married December 28.

Stanton said he went to Mary's home in New Eagle to offer financial aid which would save her from marital martyrdom.

And what happened?

Good, old-fashioned romance, it seems.

Stanton was a neighbor of Mary's family before he moved east, some years ago.

And Mary is the girl who started the cycle of marriage offers by announcing she would wed for $10,000, which she said she wanted to relieve the destitution of her aged parents.

Rankin Boy Hurt When Hit by Auto

Andrew Trogan, 10, of 369 Third street, Rankin, suffered a fractured leg when struck by an automobile driven, police said, by Sam Romano, of 111 North street, Braddock, in Miller street, Rankin, last night. He was taken to the Braddock General Hospital.

Aliquippa Store Fire Routs Family

Aliquippa firemen early today extinguished a blaze in the Economy shoe store, at 376 Franklin avenue. A family, whose name firemen did not learn, was routed into the street. Firemen estimated the damage at $200.

DEBT CHARGES PROVED, SAYS M'FADDEN

Holds Experts' Report to Cut Payments Confirms 'Scheme' by Bankers

International News Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The report of the Young Plan Advisory Committee urging reduction of the European governments' debts to the United States is proof of his charges that interantional bankers have engineered the whole scheme, Representative McFadden (Rep.), of Pennsylvania, declared this afternoon.

McFadden, who was criticized for his attack upon President Hoover in the House last week, made another indirect assault on the President today.

SEES 'AGREEMENT'

The whole chain of events on debt negotiations, he said, discloses the kind of an agreement entered into by President Hoover and Premier Laval, of France, when the latter visited the United States. He asserted:

"The announcement of the moratorium, in the Franco-American agreement, the Laval-Hoover conference, and the confirmation of the moratorium, show the various steps that have led up to what is now proved as the definite aim to cut in two the reparation payments by Germany, and reduce the payment of war debts due the United States, which means that a burden of $250,000,000 has been placed upon the taxpayers of the United States this year, and each succeeding year thereafter, and this in the face of a growing treasury deficit of over $2,000,000,000 in the United States."

ISSUE UP TO HOOVER

Meanwhile, the report of the Basle committee of experts, holding that Germany cannot resume payment of the condition portion of her reparations at the expiration of the Hoover moratorium and proposing two years delay, had thrust the entire issue again before President Hoover.

The situation may easily evolve itself into the crisis of President Hoover's political career, and intrude upon the forthcoming presidential campaign in a highly spectacular manner.

The temper of Congress is plainly to grant no further delay in Europe's payments to the Treasury. This was very apparent in the debate and vote that accompanied ratification of the one-year moratorium. Thus the question arose today as to what is to be done next June when the one-year moratorium expires. There was no answer to the question at the White House, but on Capitol Hill many members privately declared there would be no extension.

JOHNSON SEES VICTORY

In the light of the Basel report, Senator Johnson, of California, chief of the moratorium opponents, said:

"The fight on the moratorium was one of those losing fights that is won. The American people having now been saddled with $250,000,000, they will not tolerate any endeavor to pay the whole cost of the horrible World War."

Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, supporter of the administration on everything but revision, greeted the report with the assertion that the nation's debtors are amply able to pay without reference to reparations.

TREASURY TAX PLAN DEFENDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The administration struck back today at criticisms that its tax increase plan mainly affects individuals with small means.

The treasury said persons with incomes of $5,000 and less would contribute only $27,000,000 of the proposed increase of $222,000,000 which would come from the added income tax. It was estimated persons with incomes of $10,000 and more would contribute $182,000,000 additional.

The administration believes it is out of the question to obtain from taxation of larger incomes anything approaching the total amount of additional revenue needed. The number of incomes of $100,000 and over fell from 16,000 in 1928 to 6,200 in 1930, and the tax on such incomes dropped from $700,000,000 to less than $240,000,000, declared the formal statement, issued at the treasury.

B. & L. Assets Put At Nine Billions

Building and loan associations have a membership of 13,000,000 persons and assets of $9,000,000,000, William E. Best, president of the United States Building and Loan League, told the Pitt Business Men's luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, today.

Dry Raiders Seize Moonshine in Auto

Federal prohibition agents early today seized an automobile containing a five-gallon can of moonshine in Cliff street, near Manilla street.

Experts' Report Seen As Dooming Young Plan

BASEL, Switzerland, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The Young Plan advisory committee report upholding Germany's contention that she cannot pay conditional reparations at the expiration of the Hoover moratorium, is regarded by bankers here as the beginning of the end of the Young Plan.

Those who have studied the document regard it as a carefully balanced statement of the German situation in the light of the world depression, and as remaining within the framework of the Young Plan as France demanded, but at the same time they believe it sounds the death knell of the plan itself.

The French victory, if such it was, came in omissions—in the shifting of the whole reparations problem to the international conference tentatively scheduled for next month, and in the achievement of the French delegation in forcing their colleagues on the committee to confine themselves strictly to the letter of the Young plan.

The Germans, however, received complete vindication in their contention that they no longer can make conditional payments, it is agreed.

Bandits Rob N. Y. Insurance Office

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Three bandits, levelling two revolvers each at 100 cowering employes of the Prudential Life Insurance Company's branch office on upper Broadway today, stole $6,000 and escaped in a taxicab despite the efforts of a policeman, who pursued them for 20 blocks down Riverside drive.

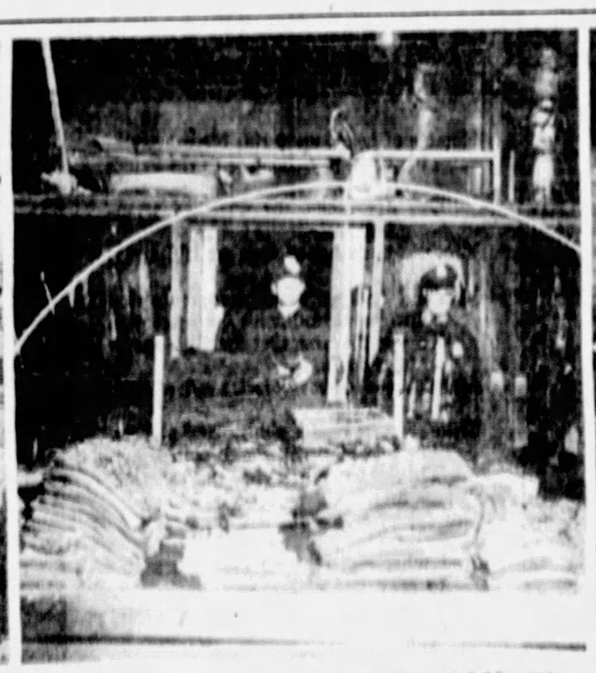
South Africa Yule Shoppers Killed

CAPETOWN, Union of South Africa, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Twelve persons were believed to have been killed this afternoon when the walls of a building in course of demolition collapsed, burying a small store crowded with Christmas shoppers.

Wreckage of Bomb Blasts in Sewickley, Dravosburg; Fire Ruins in Duquesne

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

MRS. MARY MASSI'S SEWICKLEY HOME . . . BOMBED IN NIGHT.



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FIREMEN INSPECTING PENNER'S BURNED STORE IN DUQUESNE

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

BURNING, BOMB-BLASTED REPEPIE HOME IN DRAVOSBURG

CHARITY, CHEER TO MARK CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION HERE

GIFTS TO NEEDY PREPARED BY MANY GROUPS

Carol Singing, Many Feasts, Special Church Services Planned for Gay Holiday

The spirit of charity and good cheer will pervade the homes and institutions of Pittsburgh tomorrow, Christmas Day.

In special services in churches, carol singing in the streets, bounteous giving of food and clothing to the poor, toys to children, in family reunions, fireside festivities and in varied public entertainment, the day will lack none of its traditional joyousness.

Thousands of baskets of food are being distributed today and tomorrow by charitable, fraternal and neighborhood relief organizations that no family may go hungry.

Among the institutions and individuals spreading Christmas cheer to the needy were the Pittsburgh Association for Improvement of the Poor, Salvation Army, Pittsburgh Goodwill Industries, Volunteers of America, Syria Temple Shriners, Parting of the Ways Home, Junior Red Cross, Twenty-fifth Ward Ladies Republican Club, Almas Club of Dormont, P. P. Riley Club of the Seventeenth Ward, Variety Club, Millvale Relief Fund, Ebenezer Baptis Church, Ukranian Presbyterian Church, Fourth Ward Relief Association and P. P. McKnight, 2327 Fifth avenue.

Christmas dinners were to be served and entertainment provided at the Western Penitentiary and at the Allegheny County Jail and workhouse.

Midnight Masses To Usher Yule

Midnight masses in many Catholic churches tonight will usher in the religious observance of Christmas, which will be continued tomorrow with special services in many churches of the Pittsburgh district.

Bishop Hugh C. Boyle, of the Catholic diocese of Pittsburgh, will officiate at a pontifical mass at St. Paul's Cathedral at midnight.

Tomorrow at 11 a. m., Bishop Alexander Mann, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese, will speak at services in Trinity Cathedral.

Many Lutheran churches will hold services at 7 a. m. tomorrow, while sunrise pageant will mark opening of the day's observance in others. Christmas treats and entertainments for Sunday School children tonight in many places also will be features.

SANTA HALTS BRIDGE TILT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Time out from the battle of the pasteboards tonight!

"Fifi" and "Jump-Bid Ely" Culbertson will occupy the center of the stage—at the insistence of their mother. Culbertson will be present—possibly doubling as Santa Claus, although he hasn't admitted it.

"Uncle Sidney" and "Uncle Ossie," bachelors both, wanted to have a little game of bridge this evening.

Three guesses as to who said "No."

"Uncles" Sidney S. Lenz and Oswald Jacoby possibly were a little anxious because they entered the Christmas recess trailing by 14,525 points. At the end of the eighty-sixth rubber early today, Culbertson and Theodore Lightner had added 3,820 points to their lead.

Bandit Gets $27 In Police Station

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 24.—The police station was robbed here today.

"The boldest thief" took $27 from the desk of Police Clerk Sam Childers, but overlooked a cash-drawer containing between $700 and $800.

Fliers on Long Hop Take Yule Cheer

SEVILLE, Spain, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Two army fliers hopped off today on a flight to Bata, Spanish Guinea, on the west coast of Africa. They carried champagne for a Christmas eve supper in the air.

Student Woos 100 Women for Sake Of Science

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Sheldon Klein, 19-year-old student of psychology at a university, admits he made love to 100 women by mail for science's sake. His research led him to conclude:

Any woman will listen to a hard-luck story, but blondes are more sympathetic.

All women like to think the man paying them attention is handsome.

When women are at loss for words of romantic endearment, they snap up the banal endearments of popular songs.

Most women are anchored to a narrow routine, and want to break away in imagination.

Love is the only illusion that women won't surrender.

Francis J. Kennedy, assistant district attorney, who began an investigation into Klein's activities because of his huge mail from women, listened to the conclusions and decided that such experiments were too trivial for prosecution.

"O, Little Town of Bethlehem, How Still—"

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph

CHOIR SINGERS AT TRINITY EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL, SIXTH AVENUE . . . . . CLEAR, YOUNG VOICES LIFTED IN THE JOYS OF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

DR. ANDRE FREE IN GIRL'S RENO 'PARTY DEATH'

Divorcees and Cowboys Cheer Verdict, Which May Unite W. Va. Dentist and Wife

By MILLER HOLLAND
International News Service.

RENO, Nev., Dec. 24.—A jury today acquitted Dr. Carl Pierre Andre, Fairmont, W. Va., divorce seeker, of a charge of killing his pretty sweetheart, Mrs. Martha Hutchinson, following a gay cocktail party attended by members of the divorce colony and University of Nevada co-eds at a dude ranch near Reno.

Tumult broke out in the historic old Washoe County Courthouse as the jury returned its verdict at 1:13 a. m., after deliberating one hour and 15 minutes.

Gamblers, cowboys, college students and beautiful young divorcees cheered and yelled.

"BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT"

Tears came to Dr. Andre's eyes as his elderly father, Omar Andre, who came here from West Virginia to aid his son during the trial, patted him on the shoulder. Dr. Andre said:

"It's the greatest Christmas present I ever received.

"I'm going to stay right here in Reno and practice dentistry. There's no reason I should leave. The accident was one that could have happened to anyone."

Dr. Andre maintained on the stand that Mrs. Hutchinson was killed when she fell out of his automobile as Dr. Andre said he swerved to avoid striking another machine. The state contended Dr. Andre struck Mrs. Hutchinson and threw her out of the car.

SPEED TO CELEBRATION

Fighting their way through a cheering crowd, Dr. Andre and his father rushed to a telegraph office to notify Dr. Andre's mother, in West Virginia, of the verdict, after which the Andres and the entire courtroom of spectators piled into automobiles and dashed to the Willows Night Club for a celebration.

Dr. Andre's attorneys indicated that Dr. Andre and his wife, who is ill in West Virginia, might become reconciled. Dr. Andre had filed suit for divorce, but Mrs. Hutchinson's death prevented hearing the divorce action.

JAPAN TO DEFY U. S., POWERS ON CHINCHOW

Tokio Declares Latest Note To Be 'Surprise;' Reply Courteous, but Unyielding

By JAMES R. YOUNG
International News Service.

TOKIO, Dec. 24.—The Japanese government intends to make immediate reply to representations received from the United States, British and French governments, expressing apprehension over Japanese military activities near Chinchow, Manchuria, the foreign office announced tonight.

The reply will be courteously framed, but will express Japan's determination, regardless of outside intervention, to proceed with what the government calls an "anti-bandit" drive in the region of Chinchow.

MORE UNEXPECTED

A government spokesman said the new move by the United States, France and Great Britain, which apparently was made after exchanges between Washington, Paris and London, was entirely "unexpected." William Cameron Forbes, United States ambassador, expressed his government's anxiety to Premier Inukai at noon.

Meanwhile, despite the protests, Japan extended the scope of its military activity in Manchuria by land, air and sea.

In connection with the reported contemplated seizure of Chinchow, the cruiser Izumo and the aircraft carrier Notoro proceeded to Port Arthur. The Japanese navy office explained dispatch of the battleships on the grounds of the existing "menace to Chinchow."

CHINESE FIGHT HARD

Latest news from the "front" indicated Chinese irregulars were putting up stiff opposition to continued advance of the Japanese westward in the direction of Chinchow.

The Chinese launched a counter-attack at Tienchwangtu at 2 a. m., but were repulsed, with heavy losses. At Yingtow bandits removed more than 500 yards of track on the branch line between Hope and Koupangtzu, effectually halting the Japanese advance in that sector. The Chinese captured a number of coaches and freight cars and took them to Koupangtzu.

BASSETT WILL FIGHT FAILS

Judge E. C. Chalfant, in Orphans Court today, refused to impound the assets of Ira S. Bassett, business man evangelist, as requested by Claude B. Sharpe, named executor in the rejected Bassett will.

Sharpe had contended Bassett left assets valuable and extensive, and that they should be given over to custody of the court. No valuable property yet has been discovered.

The court also granted a citation on Bassett's wife, Lolah, and his daughter, Mrs. Lillian G. Marks, who was named administrators, directing them to show cause why the will should not be probated. The rule was made returnable January 4. The will was thrown out because of a letter left by Bassett saying he had been forced to sign the document.

Bert Wheeler, Wife Agree to Separate

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Bert Wheeler, motion picture and stage comedian, said last night that he and his wife, Bernice Speer, actress, have separated and that attorneys are arranging a property settlement.

Wheeler announced that he and his partner, Robert Woolsey, will leave in April for a tour of the world.

Mussolini Mourners Injured in Wreck

FOGGIA, Italy, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Two passengers were killed, six were injured and a score of others returning from the funeral of Arnaldo Mussolini, were badly shaken today when the Bologna express jumped the track at Coronato Station.

Ambridge Theater Endangered by Fire

The Ambridge Theater Building at Seventh and Merchant streets, Ambridge, was periled last night when fire broke out in the Workingman's store, on the first floor of the building. The flames were confined to the store.

GRID INJURIES FATAL TO BOY

An autopsy today indicated that Merrill Weber, 20, of 722 Litchfield street, Sheraden, who died last night in his home, was a victim of injuries suffered in a football game last Sunday. The contest was between alumni of Langley High School and the Hilltop A. C., Weber being on the former team. The game was played at Sheraden.

The young man was thought to be in good health earlier in the evening. He had complained of a minor injury to the elbow received in the game.

He was found unconscious in his bedroom by a sister, Thelma. An hour later he was dead.

The autopsy gave a hemorrhage of the brain as the cause of death, and it is believed he suffered a blow on the skull during the game.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber.

'Blinded' by Smoke, Pilot Wrecks Plane

GREENSBURG, Pa., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Losing his way in the smoke over Greensburg coke ovens, B. O. Burghbuff, Hagerstown (Md.) pilot, damaged his plane in a forced landing last night. He was unhurt.

Burghbuff, employed by a Hagerstown aviation company, landed in a field on the John Hodge farm, breaking a wing and otherwise wrecking his ship when he crashed into a hay stack.

Fliers Hunt Missing Plane, 5 Passengers

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Two airplanes left here today for Bahaman waters to search for a plane piloted by Edide Stafford and said to contain five passengers, which was not reported after it left Bimini yesterday on the way to Nassau.

The plane, owned by William Joyce, of Miami, carried two women, a man, a boy and a child, the owner said. Names of the passengers were not available.

Shots at Fleeing Convicts Stir Town

CANON CITY, Col., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Residents of Canon City were terrorized today when six guards from the state penitentiary fired 50 shots at two escaping prisoners.

Edwin McCullough, 29, a convict, was shot in the stomach and is believed fatally wounded. S. C. Campbell, 31, the second convict, escaped the bullets, but was later captured under a bed in a home near the prison.

Thug Gets $20,000 In Busy Postoffice

SEATTLE, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—A robber, armed with two guns, held up the cashier's office of the main Seattle Postoffice late yesterday and escaped with approximately $20,000. Dozens of patrons were in the lobby a few feet away.

THE WEATHER

Local Forecast.

Rain and somewhat colder tonight; Friday, cloudy and colder. Lowest temperature tonight about 45 degrees.

Hourly Temperatures.

12 midnight	55	5 p. m.	57
1 a. m.	55	6 p. m.	57
2 a. m.	55	7 p. m.	56
3 a. m.	55	8 p. m.	56
4 a. m.	55	9 p. m.	56
5 a. m.	56		
6 a. m.	56		
7 a. m.	56		
8 a. m.	56		

Sunrise today . . . 7:41 Sunset today . . . 4:57

Observations for the 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning.

Time	Temp.	Hum.	Wind	Weather
8 a. m.	56	84	SW-7	Cloudy

Temperature and Precipitation.

	1930	1929	1928	1927	1926	1925	1924	1923
High	59	57	63	57	61	58	62	59
Low	35	41	41	41	41	41	41	39
Mean	47	49	52	49	51	49	52	49
Precip.	1.03	.00	.00	.00	.04	.00	.04	.00

Bulletin.

Observations taken by the United States Weather Bureau. The morning temperature readings were taken at 8 o'clock. The maximum temperatures is for 12 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning. Precipitation is for 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning.

Station.	Temp. Pre. 8 a.m.	Temp. Pre. Hi.	Station.	Temp. Pre. 8 a.m.	Temp. Pre. Hi.
Atlanta	60	66	Memphis	60	64
Atl. City	50	60	Miami	74	80
Baltimore	54	64	Minneapolis	40	46
Boise	36	46	Nashville	52	60
Boston	44	50	New Orl.	68	70
Buffalo	46	52	New York	48	56
Chicago	46	52	Norfolk	52	60
Cincinnati	50	58	Omaha	42	50
Cleveland	48	54	Parkersburg	52	60
Columbus	48	56	Phila.	50	58
Dallas	58	66	Pittsburgh	54	58
Des Moines	42	50	Portland, Me.	40	46
Detroit	46	52	Portland, Ore.	46	52
Duluth	36	42	Richmond	54	62
Galveston	66	70	St. Louis	50	58
Harrisburg	50	60	St. Paul	40	46
Helena	32	40	Salt Lake	40	48
Juneau	32	40	San Fran.	54	60
Jacksonville	68	74	Seattle	46	52
Kan. City	46	54	Tampa	72	76
Little Rk.	60	1.01	Washgtn.	52	60
Los Ang.	64	68	Winnipeg	28	34
Louisville	54	62	Yellowstn.	32	38
Lynchbg.	54	64			

River Conditions.

The rivers are still rising slightly. Stage at Franklin is 6.0 feet. Lock No. 7, 13.7; Pittsburgh, 14.6; Dam No. 4, 10.7; Dam No. 6, 12.2; Dam No. 10, 12.5, and Dam No. 12, 13.4. The dams are down.

KIDNAP MURDER CLUES FAIL

CINCINNATI, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Inquiry into the brutal killing of 6-year-old Marian McLean reached an impasse today.

A week to the day after she disappeared police found themselves with virtually every clue exploded, the identity of her degenerate slayer still unknown, the scene of the cruel attacks upon her still not found.

Police continued their efforts to learn the identity of a man reported to have carried a bundle to the tenement cellar where the girl's mutilated body was found. Questioning of Charles Bischoff, who lived in the building and who found the body, was continued by alienists.

KLINE RELATIVE LOSES ON TRIP

Dr. S. H. Johnston, brother-in-law of Mayor Kline and member of the Civil Service Commission, today said he had taken a $250 loss on his trip to San Francisco last August, when he represented the city at the Civil Service Associations' convention.

Council yesterday approved his expense account of $364. The first bill was for more than $600, which Council rejected, secretly. Said Dr. Johnston today:

"I didn't want to attend the convention, but the Chamber of Commerce asked me and Council approved. If I had known then what I know now I wouldn't have gone. The only thing I can do is accept the loss."

Baby Joins Jury Hearing Murder Case

DETROIT, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—An unofficial "thirteenth juror" has been added to the panel hearing the case of John Moceri, accused of killing James Barrett, a bootlegger. Mrs. Emma L. Engel obtained court permission to keep her 4-month-old son with her when the jury was ordered locked up during the trial. During the day relatives care for the infant.

Hawaiian Volcano Active After Quake

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Following a violent earthquake, Kilauea volcano on the Island of Hawaii, erupted today, frightening residents as 40 fountains of red hot lava poured across "The Pit of Everlasting Fire."

The earthquake shock was the most severe Hawaii has experienced in years.

Postoffice Closed All Day Christmas

Except for the film station, all departments and sections of the main office and branches of the Postoffice will be closed all day Christmas, James B. Anderson, Postmaster, said today. All work will be suspended from midnight tonight until midnight tomorrow except special delivery service, regular holiday collections and dispatches of first-class mail.

Pittsburgh Editor Scores Farm Board

FRANKLIN, Pa., Dec. 24.—Criticism of the Federal Farm Board by E. S. Bayard, of Pittsburgh, editor of the Pennsylvania Farmer, marked the closing session of the three-day county fair here, designed to help the needy of Venango County.

Cycling Tourist Killed by Autoist

RUTLAND, Ill., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Harry Richart, of Milton, Pa., making a transcontinental bicycle trip, was killed today by an automobile.

M'KIRDY SCORES TUNNEL DEAL

John E. McKirdy, a member of the Planning Commission, at a hearing before that body today on the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railroad tunnel and bridge project, charged that an attempt was being made to rush the proposition through before the new Commissioners take office. He said:

"The whole thing is a scheme to pull this thing off before the new Commissioners take office. I think it's a shame."

The commission met to consider the proposal for the county to buy the bridge and tunnel and convert it into a vehicular traffic artery, for $4,200,000.

Scores Saved From Fire in Apartments

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Thrilling rescues of scores of men, women and children were made today by firemen and police during a spectacular three-alarm fire which routed 200 occupants and caused damage estimated at $50,000 to a seven-story brick apartment building.

Aerial ladders were used by firemen, who, with the aid of police, carried down occupants trapped in upper stories. About a dozen tenants were overcome by smoke, but were revived.

Author's Executors May Sue Americans

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—A petition for letters as ancillary executors was filed in Surrogate's Court yesterday by the widow and a brother of D. H. Lawrence, English author, among whose books was "Lady Chatterley's Lover."

Attorneys said the move indicated the estate might bring suits against several American publishers for royalties on Lawrence's books. The surrogate deferred action.

Army Officer Leaps 12 Stories to Death

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Capt. Frank F. Fulton, of the finance department, United States Army, on duty at the Army base, Brooklyn, killed himself by leaping from the twelfth story window of his apartment in the St. George Hotel today.

Man Shoots Self While Visiting Son

Ray Chew, 45, of 138 Fern way, was treated at Homeopathic Hospital early today for a gunshot wound in his left shoulder which, police say, was self-inflicted. The officers reported Chew shot himself during a visit at his son's home at 5843 Pierce street, Squirrel Hill. He had been despondent.

Children Still Awaiting Volunteer Santas Here

A toyless Christmas, a joyless day, awaits hundreds of boys and girls tomorrow unless grown-up Pittsburgh volunteers in the role of Santa Claus.

Boys and girls in homes never before lacking Yuletide fun and toys, face disappointment if hundreds of grownups do not avail themselves of the names on a confidential list provided the Sun-Telegraph by Dr. Ben Graham, superintendent of schools, and his staff. The names of one family or more can be obtained by telephoning the Christmas Editor, Grant 6500.

Scores of readers have been obtaining names since the appeal was issued Monday. They are taking toys and gifts directly to the children, or arranging for delivery. Many have called for 10 and more families totaling over 40 children. Others obtained names of one child.

All these are eager to prevent the disappointment that threatens to sadden a day that should radiate happiness. Names are available in all districts. The Christmas Editor will assist in the selection of names to lessen extra efforts of the donors.

It is not too late to play Santa.

Marrying

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph

MISS DOROTHY BUSHEY — Organist Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong, Arkansas avenue, Dormont, and Miss Bushey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Bushey, 1121 Bellaire avenue, Brookline, stage

BERNIE ARMSTRONG — personality-song singer, who's going to do an organ act with Bernie, pictured at the marriage license bureau today to get a permit to marry "Sunday or Sunday a week!"

CLERK C. W. KOSINSKI

RAPS GOVERNOR FOR MAKING BOY 'LIFER'

Priest Denounces Hartley's Refusal to Put Lad, 12, in School; Answers Attack

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 24.—Following the refusal of Gov. Roland H. Hartley, of Washington, to order release on parole of 12-year-old Herbert Niccolls, "hare-foot slayer," to Father Edward J. Flanagan, of Omaha, the latter issued a statement presenting his side of the unique case.

Father Flanagan, trying to have the convicted slayer of Sheriff John Wormell sent to his famous "Overlook Farm" for rehabilitation, made a trip to the Pacific Coast to intercede with Washington authorities. Gov. Hartley severely criticized him for his interference in the matter. Father Flanagan's statement follows:

Gov. R. H. Hartley was within his honored province as chief executive of the State of Washington when he denied the parole to Herbert Niccolls, the unfortunate 12-year-old boy murderer. But when he deplored my efforts and cast insinuations upon my sincere motives in trying to obtain the boy's release, he stepped into the gutter of ward politics.

DECISION WITH PEOPLE

Whether Gov. Hartley was right or wrong in reaching his conclusion that Herbert should not be paroled and saved from spending the rest of his life behind prison bars, is a decision that rests solely with the people of the State of Washington who are franchised to vote.

Gov. Hartley made the statement that well-cornorated experts advised him that Herbert is beyond being saved. As a student of sociology and with 15 years of experience in the handling of wayward boys, I am interested in knowing from whom the Governor obtained this advice.

What a pity and a shame that Gov. Hartley should base his opinion on such evidence when students of sociology are aware that heredity is a minor influence on a child and that environment is the chief influence that determines character.

BLAMES ENVIRONMENT

Herbert's environment and not heredity prompted him to do the things that led to the tragic day when he pulled the trigger and killed a peace officer. What Herbert who is little more than a baby, did and what he is today, is not because of his true heart or mind, but it is the result of poor home environment and bad influences.

I bitterly resent the accusations made and the inferences cast by Gov. Hartley that my purpose and the purpose of Father Flanagan's Boys' Home in trying to obtain the release of Herbert was for the benefit of obtaining nationwide publicity for myself and my home. Father Flanagan's Boys' Home doesn't need publicity. I was surprised that such attacks would come from the executive mansion of the fine State of Washington. To me it sounds like the mutterings of a whipped political boss.

The appeal was made by our home over 44 radio stations, through the press and from the pulpit in an attempt to focus national attention on the miscarriage of justice which placed Herbert Niccolls behind prison bars for life.

PRAISES NEWSPAPERS

Gov. Hartley should be ashamed that he should attack as "emotional" the attitude of parents and humanitarians who interested themselves in attempting to get a fair deal for Herbert. He calls the newspapers sensational which aided me in my fight to get a parole for Herbert. I am proud of these newspapers which carried the terrible truth about the great state of Washington convicting a mere baby of murder, in the first degree, and sentencing him to life behind prison bars in a state penitentiary.

These newspapers are not sensational—they are human—they see the light. They deserve the praise of the American public, rather than the scathing denunciation on the part of the Governor as it is only by such publication of the facts about stupid solutions of juvenile crimes that such matters can be corrected.

BOY POLITICAL FOOTBALL

I am disappointed in the Governor's decision. But I would have no ill feeling toward him because he saw fit not to parole Herbert. But I was hurt and surprised in the Governor's statement accompanying his announcement of the decision reached.

I can't believe it is Gov. Hartley himself making such a venomous and undeserved attack upon me and our institution, but that he has been ill advised, and if he has not then in my humble opinion he is making of Herbert Niccolls a political football.

What a Christmas for Herbert.

SEEKING INSURANCE

Husband Killed in France in World War

MRS. HARRIET HESPENHEIDE KAHLE . . . ASKING FOR SHARE

Mrs. Kahle, 5900 Hampton street, in Orphans' Court asking for her share of the $10,000 war insurance held by her husband, Clarence Courtnes Kahle, W. & J. College alumnus, killed in action in France 13 years ago. Anna Kahle, a sister, opposes Mrs. Kahle's share, contending she and her late mother were named beneficiaries.

WRECK BLAMED ON TAMEPERING

HARRISBURG, Dec. 24.—Malicious tampering with angle cocks which rendered the airbrake system useless was responsible for the Pennsylvania freight wreck near Gallitzin on December 9, the Public Service Commission held today. One railroadman was killed and three injured when 76 cars and the engine were derailed. Angle cocks, it was explained, are located at each end of each car for the air system.

The commission held the wreck was caused by the failure of the airbrake system to function properly. John P. Dohoney, chief of the Commission's Bureau of Accidents, in a report said:

"This failure was the result of the malicious closing of one or more angle cocks by a person or persons unknown."

When one cock was closed, air was shut off from all following cars. A closed angle cock was found on the twelfth car. Three hours earlier a closed cock was found on a westbound train and four days later similar tampering was found.

Senators Pledge Aid In Tracing Slayer

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Detectives of the United States government today were holding themselves ready if needed to join the hunt for the slayers of Harry Lapidus, wealthy Jewish manufacturer and political leader.

Senators George W. Norris and Robert B. Howell, both close friends of the dead man's family, assured the relatives that federal assistance would be furnished if needed to solve the mystery of how Lapidus was found in his automobile with five bullet wounds in the head.

Poor Board Expense Argument Slated

Argument on the suit of Waller H. Riehl, taxpayer, seeking an account of $750,000 in taxes spent by the County Poor Board, J. Clyde Miller, Dr. W. D. Henderson and H. H. Dixon was fixed for the second week of February, by an order of Judge John P. Fagan. Argument will be on the petition of the board challenging the jurisdiction of the court.

Deasy New Official Of Travelers' Society

J. V. Deasy, vice president, Pennsylvania Railroad, has been elected a member of the board of the Travelers' Aid Society, Eleanor D. Gillespie, secretary, announced today.

$500 GIFT AIDS WELFARE FUND

Another boost was accorded the campaign of the Welfare Fund and Allegheny County Emergency Association with receipt of a Christmas gift of $500 from Sears Roebuck & Co., East Liberty. The gift is in addition to a previous donation of $4,000.

Pending the weekly tabulation of returns, the campaign total stands at $5,451,766, including the conditional offer of $750,000 from 20 corporations and individuals with the stipulation that the remainder of the $5,981,184 goal be raised by the public. Stressing the need of renewed support for the campaign, G. G. Coolidge, president of the Family Welfare Association, announced it had received nearly 6,000 new applications in November and carried over 13,000 families in December.

A list of contributors follows:

$50,000 AND OVER

Total, previously reported $1,250,000

$25,000 TO $50,000

Total, previously reported 211,000

$10,000 TO $25,000

Total, previously reported 483,314

$5,000 TO $10,000

Total, previously reported 491,804

Mr. and Mrs. Childs Frick, additional 5,000

$1,500 to $5,000

Total, previously reported 252,375

$1,000 to $1,500

Total, previously reported 386,620

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Curry, Jr., additional 1,000

Lloyd Kay & Foundry Co., additional 1,000

King Construction Company, additional 1,000

$500 TO $1,000

Total, previously reported 206,185

Mrs. Winfield K. Shinas, additional 500

Anonymous, additional 500

$250 TO $500

Total, previously reported 137,371

$100 TO $250

Total, previously reported 215,257

Mrs. Isaac S. Heister 100

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hoffman 100

$50 TO $75

Moran Express Company 50

J. Cunningham 50

H. W. Jones 50

John W. Kirkpatrick, additional 50

James M. Lewis 50

Louis Wine Biscuit Company, additional 50

Mr. Oliver Ice Company 50

Mrs. Theodore F. Smith, additional 50

Anonymous 50

Anonymous 50

LAST LINE WINS FOR WOMAN

Elizabeth Campbell, 1114 Jane street, Wilkinsburg, is $5 richer for the holidays for writing what the judges considered the best last line for the Sun-Telegraph Christmas Jingle, No. 36. Here's how she completed the jingle:

A well-esteemed man, Banker Dunn
Did not have to fear any "run."
All his clients stood pat
Any year, lean or fat
Now he can write Jingles for fun.

The five $1 prize winners were: John Ellis, Nevin avenue, Sewickley; Mrs. Nellie G. Rice, 47 Cobb avenue, Ingram; Margaret A. Jacobs, 2844 Broadway, Pittsburgh; Rita Kelsey, 3107 Landis street, Pittsburgh, and George Houston, Valencia, Pa.

Winners of Jingle No. 37 will be announced Saturday.

Tipstaff Injured Going to Mail Cards

On his way to mail Christmas cards yesterday, Samuel McQuigg, 78, of Hoffman Station, old Butler Short Line, a tipstaff in Common Pleas Court, was knocked to the street by an automobile in front of the City-County Building. He was removed to Mercy Hospital suffering from bruises and lacerations.

POPE PRAISES UNITED STATES

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bolic of the humble scene of the Saviour's birth 1,931 years ago.

CHIMES BY WIRELESS

JERUSALEM, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—By means of wireless, the bells of St. Thomas' Church in New York will be rung from the ancient Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem at midnight tonight.

The current will be carried over a land line to Aburabal and from there carried by radio to New York, where it will start operation of the St. Thomas carillon.

HOOVERS GIVE TOYS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—A circle of green leaves and red berries hangs on the white door of the President's house, but recognizing the solemn background of this year's economic stress, President Hoover's family collected toys instead of distributing them at the first Christmas party of Peggy Ann and Peter, the Hoover grandchildren. Today the dolls and tops are en route to Morgantown, W. Va., for less fortunate children in the mining districts.

A whole series of parties will keep the White House merry. The cheer of the day will be broadcast by the President, and Mrs. Hoover to the radio audience when an outdoor Christmas tree is lighted in a public square late this afternoon.

Tomorrow will be largely a day of homes and children. But Mrs. Hoover will leave the White House to distribute toys to children in a big local theater.

KING ON HOLIDAY

SANDRINGHAM, England, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Shedding the cares of state, King George and Queen Mary, of England, are spending a homely and old-fashioned Christmas vacation at Sandringham House, the beautiful royal country mansion 100 miles from London on the Norfolk coast.

There, amid the intimate surroundings of the private residence they love and in company with their children and grandchildren, their majesties annually doff the mantle of royalty and become a simple country squire and his wife.

KAISER CELEBRATES

DOORN, Holland, Dec. 24.—The Shadow of Doorn, once the all highness of the German empire, will celebrate Christmas tonight in his Dutch fastness in accordance with the German custom which he still observes.

This Wilhelm's fourteenth Christmas in exile will differ from the preceding 13 only in the desire of its somberness. For the former Kaiser has elected, out of respect for his dying sister, Sophie, to abstain from the traditional merriment of the season. But there will be the traditional Christmas dinner and a Christmas tree felled by the former Kaiser himself.

Neither the Kaiser's children nor Princess Hermine's two sons will be present.

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RUSSIA BANS FETE

MOSCOW, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Godlessness reigns supreme in Soviet Russia this Christmas.

The militant League of the Godless, ably backed up by the Soviet Trade Unions, today wound up a two weeks' anti-religious campaign in which they urged workers to remain at their benches, office employes at their desks and peasants in their farmyards over the holidays.

Christmas Greeting Cards

Leather Goods for Men
Writing Desk Sets
Pen and Pencil Sets
Children's School Sets
...ght Quality. Right Prices
...ood Selection

GEO. H. ALEXANDER & CO.
Stationers—Printers—Engravers
433 WOOD STREET

Stork on Train Delays Railroad Two Hours

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Due to the unexpected arrival of a young lady passenger, railroad traffic and the Frisco Meteor, Oklahoma City-St. Louis train, were delayed two hours yesterday.

The infant daughter was born in a stateroom to Mrs. Bertha Donaho, 25, wife of the County Clark at Ada, Okla. Dr. E. T. Smith, of Newburg, Mo., notified by telegram, boarded the train and attended the event.

An ambulance met the train here, but mother and child could not be moved immediately, and traffic and the train were held up for two hours.

Success Anticipated As Seal Sale Closes

The 1931 Christmas Seal sale closes today with a substantial response received by the Tuberculosis League, John F. Casey, president of the Christmas Seal committee, said definite returns are not available, as many seals are still outstanding.

41 New Cases Put Under Quarantine

The Department of Public Health today reported the following new cases in quarantine: Scarlet fever, 8; diphtheria, 2; measles, 14; whooping cough, 2; chickenpox, 5; mumps, 4, and pneumonia, 6.

'POPEYE' TO GO ON AIR SUNDAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—E. C. Segar and "Popeye," his cartoon creation, which has been adjudged the all-American comic character choice for 1931, will be the features of the "National Weekly Radio Revue" on the WJZ coast-to-coast network Sunday evening, it was announced today.

It will be the first radio appearance for both Segar and "Popeye."

The revue will go on the air at 8:15 p. m., eastern Standard time, and will be heard through stations in New York, Boston, Springfield, Mass., St. Louis, Baltimore, Rochester, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Cincinnati, Chicago, Kansas City, Denver, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Spokane.

Other features will be John B. Kennedy, dramatization of an episode in the life of Stalin, Russian dictator, and musical specialties.

'Humiliated,' Wife Says, Gets Divorce

She was frequently humiliated by public scenes her husband created in an intoxicated condition, Lois A. McGehee, 31, of Lebanon Hall, Washington road, Mt. Lebanon, testified in Common Pleas Court. Judge John P. Egan granted her a divorce from J. Jesup McGehee, of Beacon street, a broker. She testified:

"He used to ridicule me for being so careful with money and he would get drunk and throw it away."

21 Injured as Bus Crashes Into Truck

PALMER, Mass., Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Twenty-one persons were injured today when a New York-bound passenger motor coach crashed into the rear of a motor truck on the Boston Post Road.

HOLDUP VICTIM FINED FOR RUM

Louis Toplak, 41, of 820 North Canal street, is out $50 more than the $60 thieves took from him last night. Magistrate Ray E. Schneider said the $50 fine he imposed on Toplak was just a Christmas present, and Toplak thanked him.

When police answered a call to Toplak's home last evening they found Toplak and two visitors, Nick Popovich, 46, of 906 Vinial street, and Frank P. Paveslisck, 42, of 1006 Constance street, bound hand and foot with wire on the living room floor. Toplak had moved over to a telephone to summon police.

He told officers that two men had entered and stole $60 from him and a watch from each of his guests. A search of the premises revealed moonshine and five and 25-cent slot machines, police said. The three were arrested. At the hearing this morning the visitors were discharged.

McKeesport Auto Victim in Hospital

Jacob Hyer, 62, of 210 East Third avenue, McKeesport, was in the McKeesport Hospital suffering injuries to his chest and right leg received when he was struck by an automobile driven, police say, by William A. Gehring, of 3216 Homestead Park, while crossing the street at Eighth avenue and McClure street, according to a police report.

McKeesport Forms Helping Hand Grou

The McKeesport Helping Hand Association, similar to Pittsburgh's, has asked for a charter in Common Pleas Court. County Commissioner-elect W. D. Mansfield is named among its sponsors. A building owned by Samuel Brindel will be used by the association.

(Advertisement)

Stomach Pain All Gone Now!

"Was in a terrible state for years with acid indigestion," writes Mrs. Nellie Crouse, of Kansas City, Mo. "After eating had such terrible pains in my stomach I thought I'd die. Nothing helped until I tried ACIDINE. Now I can eat, sleep, enjoy life again."

End gas, sourness, heartburn, dizziness, sleeplessness, headache resulting from acidity. Maker guarantees ACIDINE will end stomach pubic or refunds money. All druggists have ACIDINE.

COACH EXCURSIONS
EVERY SUNDAY
$2.00 ROUND TRIP
Cleveland
$1.00 Youngstown AND New Castle
REGULAR TRAIN
Lv. Pittsburgh 8:10 A. M.
Consult Ticket Agent
PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Season's Greetings

The AMERICAN OIL COMPANY

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CHARLES A. LEWIS
Attorney-at-Law
316 Berger Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS

THE CITY OF CLAIRTON, ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Proposals will receive sealed bids and proposals for the purchase of coupon bonds of said City, in the sum of

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND ($100,000.00) DOLLARS.

said bonds to be of the denomination of One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars each, dated February 1st, 1932, to bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August, and to be numbered from one (1) to one hundred (100), both inclusive, and to mature and be payable as follows:

1 to 5, inclusive	February 1,	1933
6 to 10, inclusive	February 1,	1934
11 to 15, inclusive	February 1,	1935
16 to 20, inclusive	February 1,	1936
21 to 25, inclusive	February 1,	1937
26 to 30, inclusive	February 1,	1938
31 to 35, inclusive	February 1,	1939
36 to 40, inclusive	February 1,	1940
41 to 45, inclusive	February 1,	1941
46 to 50, inclusive	February 1,	1942
51 to 55, inclusive	February 1,	1943
56 to 60, inclusive	February 1,	1944
61 to 65, inclusive	February 1,	1945
66 to 70, inclusive	February 1,	1946
71 to 75, inclusive	February 1,	1947
76 to 80, inclusive	February 1,	1948
81 to 85, inclusive	February 1,	1949
86 to 90, inclusive	February 1,	1950
91 to 95, inclusive	February 1,	1951
96 to 100, inclusive	February 1,	1952

All bids must be accompanied by certified check for 2% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the order of the Treasurer of the City of Clairton, as surety that the bidder will enter into a contract and give bond in the sum of the bid, if awarded the same.

H. E. PATTERSON
City Treasurer
Clairton, Pa.

CHARLES A. LEWIS
City Solicitor
316 Berger Bldg.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN B. WINNER, Attorney, 1409 Union Bank Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Peter Wilhelm Siegert, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Ruth O'B. Siegert, Ruth M. Siegert, Paul Thaw Siegert and George B. Siegert, Executors, 6015 South Woodbourne avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

EMANUEL GOLDBERG, Attorney, 504 Grant Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. To Thomas Albert Clarke, now, or late, respondent: Take notice that the subpoena and alias subpoena in the case of Lavia M. Clarke against you for divorce A. V. M. at No. 4177, October Term, 1931, Common Pleas Court of Allegheny County, Pa., has been returned N. E. I. You are required to appear and answer the complaint on or before the first Monday of February, 1932. Frank T. Heffner, Sheriff.

BURDWIN, SCULLY & BURDWIN, Attorneys, 3203 Grant Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Oscar Edward Kahle, Chicago, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pa., have been granted to persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Arthur H. Scully, Executor, 3203 Grant Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

J. HOWARD DEVLIN, Attorney, 1000 Jones Law Building. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Cecelia ...e Wm. Frank Harris, deceased, late of Crafton, Allegheny County, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Frank J. Harris, Administrator, 501 Clearview avenue, Crafton, Pa.

WAYLAND F. DUNCAN, Attorney-at-Law, 257 Frick Annex. Notice, letters testamentary on estate of Catherine Bonet, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment, those having claims will present them to Carl E. Bonet, Executor, 4207 Stanton street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN J. O'DONNELL, Attorney, 1516 Berger Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of James P. Duggan, late of Bridgeville, Allegheny County, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Mary Ellen Duggan, Executrix, 642 Elm street, Bridgeville, Pa.

A. DEVOE F. MILLER, Attorney, 221 Bakewell Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Elmer D. Trout, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Elmer D. Trout, Executor, 642 Brownsville road, Pittsburgh, Pa.

HALLOCK & SHERRARD, Attorneys, Union Trust Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of William W. Blackburn, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Harold A. Hogue, Joseph B. Blackburn and Frederick G. Blackburn, Executors, 201 South Lexington avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

EDWIN DORAN, Attorney, 1801 Law & Finance Building. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Charles A. Frederick, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Charles F. Scherer, Administrator, 402 Kirk avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

R. B. WILLIAMS, Attorney-at-Law, Butler, Pa. Notice, letters testamentary on estate of Mary Ramage Stevenson, deceased, late of Mt. Lebanon Township, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment, those having claims will present them to Benjamin R. Williams, Executor, Butler, Pa.

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IN the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of Theo Zervos, trading as Palace of Sweets, No. 16768 in bankruptcy.

ORDER OF COURT

And now, to-wit: December 19th, 1931, the foregoing petition having been presented in open Court, upon due consideration thereof, and on motion of counsel for petitioner, it is ordered that a meeting of the creditors of Theo Zervos, trading as Palace of Sweets, bankrupt, within named be called and held at the office of Watson F. Adair, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, 10 and 11 Allegheny County Public Bldgs., on the fifth (5th) day of January, 1932, at 2:00 p. m., for the examination of the bankrupt, for the preservation and conduct of his estate, and for the consideration of terms of composition, at which meeting the said Referee shall preside; and that notice of said meeting to the creditors of said bankrupt be given by the Court within four days after said meeting, the claims of creditors allowed by him, the action of said creditors upon the offer of composition, his findings and conclusions upon same, and any other proceeding had before him in said matter, and shall give notice to the creditors at said meeting that the terms of composition, if accepted by the requisite majority of creditors, will be presented to the Court for final confirmation on the ninth (9th) day of January, 1932, at 10:00 a. m.

It is further directed that notice of this order shall be given by the Clerk, mailing a copy of the same to each of said creditors and by publishing a copy thereof in the Sun-Telegraph and in the Pittsburgh Legal Journal as provided by law.

PER CURIAM.

H. P. EBERHARTER,
Attorney-at-Law,
Berger Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

NATHANIEL E. BECK, Attorney-at-Law, 609 Plaza Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa., In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, No. 1377, January Term, 1931. To the creditors of Antonio Marra, also known as Tony Marra, or to whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the first and final account of Paul Perna, Assignee, appointed by the above court for the benefit of Antonio Marra, also known as Tony Marra, has been confirmed nisi by the court, and that unless exceptions are filed thereto on or before January 25, 1932, at 9:30 a. m., the account may be confirmed and said balance for distribution may be ordered distributed to those entitled to the same. And Assignee discharged. Paul Perna, Assignee.

JOSEPH SCHUTZMAN, Attorney, Berger Bldg. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Harry H. Ruterman, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Rebecca Ruderman, Administratrix, 923 North Negley avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. LEO WEIL, JR., Attorney-at-Law, 721 Frick Bldg. Notice letters testamentary on estate of Rose Kaon, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment. Those having claims will present them to Carrie David, Executrix, 114 North Dallas street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE that letters testamentary of the estate of John H. Lewis, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Mary Linden, ...ver, 817 Penn-Fifth street, Pittsburgh, Pa., Victoria J. Miller, Shaw Perrysville avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., Executrixes.

HERMANN RUOFF, Attorney, Park Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Minnie B. Huettner, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, have been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Theodore W. Huettner, Jr., Executor, 128 Rawlinson Run boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.

STANLEY H. MALONE, Attorney, 516 Bakewell Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Katherine Strong, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Andrew Mars, Executor, 315 Fairview avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. LINCOLN COHEN, Attorney, 317 Frick Bldg. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Margaret Pearl Peel, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Matthew Peel, Administrator, 75 Hazelwood avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

VINCENT P. WALSH, Attorney, 1516 Berger Bldg. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Mathew or Matthew Zawada, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Wanda Zawada, Administratrix, 80 South Fifteenth street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WM. T. KESSLER, Attorney, 101 Johns Law Building. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles E. Petrie, deceased, late of Stowe Township, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Charles Franklin Petrie, Esq., Box 170, McKees Road, Stowe Township, Pa.

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CITY OF PITTSBURGH
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES
December 24, 1931.

Separate sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Controller, Room ..., City-County Building, Pittsburgh, Pa., until 10:00 o'clock a. m. Monday, January 4, 1932, and the same will be opened and publicly read one (1) hour later in Council Chamber, building aforesaid, for the furnishing and delivery of the following:

Provisions, meats, butter, eggs and cheese, for three months beginning January, 1932, for the various institutions of the City of Pittsburgh.

Coal by truck delivery; Sand and Gravel; Common Brick; Refractory Products; Earthenware; Asphalt, Oils and Grease; Asphalt, for the various departments of the City of Pittsburgh, for the year of 1932.

Specifications and general blanks for bidding can be secured at the office of the Department of Supplies, 619 City-County Building.

Bids to be accompanied by a bond of two freeholders of Allegheny County, probated before the City Clerk or Assistant City Clerk, or the bond of a Surety Company, which has complied with the Ordinances relative to the furnishing of bonds for contracts.

The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies reserve the right to reject any or all bids received.

CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
W. B. DUNLAP, Director.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH
PENNSYLVANIA
NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Controller of the City of Pittsburgh until the 12th day of January, 1932, at 10 a. m., Eastern Standard Time, for the purchase of the following issue of bonds of said City:

$120,000.00 Public Works Bonds, 1932.

Said bonds will be dated January 1st, 1932 and will mature in Twenty (20) equal annual installments on January 1st of each year.

Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of July and January in each year without deduction for taxes which may be levied thereon by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pursuant to the laws of future law.

Said Public Works Bonds, 1932, are issued to provide funds (including engineering and other necessary expenses) for the construction, reconstruction and repairs to streets and sewers, including reconstruction and repairs to bridges and approaches, extension and improvement of pure low system, improvement and repairs to park roadways, sidewalks and fences, purchasing and installing equipment and appurtenances for the betterment of sanitary conditions in the sewerage system.

Said bonds will be coupon bonds of denominations of One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars, exchangeable at the option of the holders at any time for a registered bond, or bonds, of the same maturity and of the denomination of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars or a multiple thereof not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor.

Unless all bids are rejected the said bonds will be sold to the highest responsible bidder complying with the terms of this notice and the bonds at less than par and accrued interest on the delivery of said bonds to the date of delivery will be accepted. The right is reserved to reject all bids and any bid not complying with the provisions hereof will be rejected. Any bid received will be held open upon the award to him of all or none of the bonds for which he bids.

All bidders are required to deposit a certified check drawn to the order of the City of Pittsburgh, on a National Bank or Trust Company, in an amount equal to 2% of the principal amount of bonds bid for. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the award of the bonds. No interest will be allowed upon the amount of the check of the successful bidder and such check will be retained and applied on account payment for the bonds or to secure the City against any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of his bid.

The City of Pittsburgh reserves the right to deliver to the successful bidder temporary typewritten or printed bonds, in the form of one temporary bond for each maturity, which shall be substantially in the same form as the definitive bonds, with appropriate omissions, insertions and variations as may be required. Until then exchange for definitive coupon bonds, the temporary bonds shall be in full force and effect according to their terms, and shall bear interest from the first day of January, 1932.

Proposals should be addressed to James P. Kerr, City Controller, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and enclosed in a sealed envelope marked on the outside "Proposal for Bonds." Bids must be made upon blank forms which may be obtained from the City Controller.

The successful bidder will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Reed, Smith, Shaw & McClay, of Pittsburgh, that the bonds are binding and legal obligations of the City of Pittsburgh.

JAMES P. KERR,
City Controller.
Dated Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24th, 1931.

NO. 612

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating a portion of Woodruff street in the Twentieth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 80.28 feet west of the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run Boulevard to a point 367.28 feet west of the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run Boulevard.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That a portion of Woodruff street, in the Twentieth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 80.28 feet west of the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run boulevard, to a point 367.28 feet west of the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run boulevard, be and the same is hereby vacated according to the following description, thereof, to-wit:

BEGINNING on the northerly line of Woodruff street as widened by Ordinance No. 549, approved July 31st, 1926, at a point distant north 67 degrees 34 minutes 19 seconds west 80.28 feet from the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run boulevard, the co-ordinates of said point of tangent being N. 97,430.02, W. 93,351.46; thence extending south 29 degrees 20 minutes 10 seconds west 54.66 feet to the northerly line of Woodruff street, formerly Woodville avenue, as dedicated and described in Ordinance No. 128, approved in Councils October 31, 1898; thence along the northerly line of said Woodruff street, as dedicated and described in Ordinance No. 549, approved July 31, 1926, at the westerly terminus of the street as widened by said Ordinance, north 22 degrees 25 minutes 41 seconds east 40 feet to the northerly line of Woodruff street as widened by said Ordinance at a point 367.28 feet west of the first point of tangent west of Saw Mill Run boulevard; thence along the northerly line of Woodruff street as widened by the said Ordinance south 67 degrees 34 minutes 19 seconds east 287 feet to the place of beginning.

SECTION 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 21, 1931.
Approved December 23, 1931.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in O. B. Vol. 14, page 335.

NO. 613

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract for the furnishing of Two (2) Sedan Automobiles for the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety, and providing for the payment thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing of Two (2) Sedan Automobiles for the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars, including the trading in of two used automobiles, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class, approved the 7th day of March A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and Amendments thereto and the Ordinances of City Council, in such cases made and provided, the amount to be charged, same to and payable from Code Account No. 1457, Special Equipment, Patrol Wagons, Bureau of Police.

SECTION 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed in Council December 21, 1931.
Approved December 23, 1931.
CHARLES H. KLINE, Mayor.
Recorded in O. B., Vol. 14, page 340.

Patricia Pitt's Sprightly Comment on Pittsburgh's Society Events

In Mayfair
—With—
Patricia Pitt

Adding a gracious note to the balls, the dinners, the tea-dances of the holiday season are "at home" days. The Edward B. Lees will be at home on New Year's day in their picturesque new home, "Cedar Chest," William Penn way, near the Yale, Harvard, Princeton Club. The hours are 3 to 6.

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The Henry Lawrence Joneses, the II. of Wilkes-Barre, are spending the Christmas week-end with Mrs. Jones' father and mother, Col. and Mrs. Samuel Harden Church.

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Mrs. John F. Mitchell and the William L. Mitchells have sailed on a Christmas cruise of the Mediterranean and Adriatic.

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Popular Betty Kennedy made her bow last night at one of the most attractive events of the year, a dinner-dance her father and mother, the John J. Kennedys, gave in the exclusive old Pittsburgh Club.

Makes Debut

The debutante wore a smartly simple gown of white satin, molded to the figure and having rhinestone shoulder straps as decoration. She carried gift bouquets. Mrs. Kennedy chose ice-green satin. They received in the foyer before an embankment of silver smilax, with the bud's gift bouquets as contrast.

The ballroom was decorated with silver-decked balsam trees, and trees hedged in the stage, arranged to simulate a winter scene. Tables for the younger set were arranged about the ballroom and decorated with poinsettias and lighted by scarlet tapers.

Hugh Boyd, of New York, a classmate at Yale of the Kennedys' son, John K. Kennedy, Jr., was among the guests.

Elizabeth L. Meyers Weds Dr. J. S. Silvis, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Meyers, of Peermont avenue, Dormont, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Louise Meyers, to Dr. John Steele Silvis, Jr., of Mt. Lebanon, which was solemnized yesterday morning at 10.45 o'clock in the Meyers home.

After the wedding breakfast Dr. and Mrs. Silvis left for Detroit. After January 15 they will be at home in the Keystone Athletic Club.

The bride attended Oxford College and Dr. Silvis is a graduate of Washington and Jefferson College and of Jefferson Medical College.

Named to Board Of Gumbert School

Mrs. Mary K. Fleming has been appointed by Judge James R. McFarlane, a member of the board of managers of the Gumbert Industrial School for Girls to succeed Mrs. Raymond M. Kaufmann.

WILL ROGERS SAYS

PEIPING, Dec. 24.

To the Editor, Sun-Telegraph:

The American missionaries have taught the Chinese to not fight, but rely on the Lord. The Chinese diplomats have taught the people to rely on the League. But now they feel that both have fallen down on 'em. This is a time in the history of the world when you better be pretty well prepared or you won't get anywhere.

Will Rogers

Yours, WILL.

SAILING FOR CANNES

Photo by Metropolitan.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM L. MITCHELL . . . WINTERING ABROAD

The socially prominent Mitchells, 5500 Northumberland street, they sailed from New York to spend the winter at Cannes.

Miss Kennedy Pictured in Her Debut

Photo by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

MISS BETTY KENNEDY IN HER DEBUT AT PITTSBURGH CLUB

Mary M. Clark's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clark, of Meade street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Magdalene Clark, to John Morgan Cassady, son of Mrs. Susan Cassady, of Lang avenue. No plans have been made for the wedding. Miss Clark is a Selon Hill graduate.

Two Tech Men Win Book Essay Prize

A prize of $200 for the best essay on "The Ideal Book," given by the Limited Editions Club of New York, has been won by two Pittsburghers, Prof. Porter Garnett, master of the Laboratory Press at Carnegie Institute of Technology, and P. P. Dill, senior at the same institution. They will divide the award.

SUBSCRIBE TO MATINEES

Many Names Added to Patron List For City Club Presentation Of 'Beauty and Beast'

Many new subscribers have been added for the Woman's City Club matinee at the Nixon Saturday morning, January 2, when the Children's Theater Company will present "Beauty and the Beast." New names on the list include Mrs. William Bowman, Mrs. Florence Fisher Parry, Mrs. W. F. Sampson, Mrs. E. J. Searles, Harry M. Aronson, Miss Harriet L. Parks, Mrs. Grant Shipley, Mrs. Biddle Arthurs, Mrs. E. O. Dorbritz, Mrs. H. F. Baker, Mrs. Alex Hardie, Mrs. William M. Duff, Mrs. Edward Vose Babcock and Mrs. J. R. McCune, Jr.

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Not only will the luncheon in the Twentieth Century Club on Monday serve as the annual business meeting of the Sweet Briar Alumnae Association, but it will celebrate National Sweet Briar Day and will be a reunion of the alumnae. News from the college will be brought by undergraduates. Miss Ruth Hasson is luncheon chairman.

Alumnae Meeting

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Mrs. H. H. Heinrich, president of the Dormont New Century Club, and the past presidents, will be hostesses at a New Year's Day tea in the clubhouse. The hours are from 3 until 5 o'clock, during which there will be a program of music and readings.

Tea in Dormont

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A Christmas party for all the employes of the Pittsburgh Goodwill Industries is being held this afternoon in the Goodwill Community Building at Liberty avenue and Twenty-eighth street. Other guests at the party will be the parents of children engaged in the various activities of the Goodwill Settlement.

Several hundred boys will be the guests at a party.

Several smaller parties are being held for the Goodwill Settlement children by Sunday school classes and individuals. A large Christmas tree has been erected in the new Goodwill Community House. The Women's Auxiliary has donated to the new plant an electric refrigerator which is being installed in the new Community House. The auxiliary also is giving window blinds and curtains for the second floor of the new building, as well as new kitchen equipment for the Community House.

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Judge Sara Soffel will address the January meeting of the Pittsburgh Female College Association which is to be held Monday in the Woman's City Club. Music will be by Mrs. Mildred Cunningham. Mrs. T. C. Donovan and Dr. Sue Taggart have arranged the program.

Jurist To Speak

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A card party will be given Saturday afternoon at the Food Craft Shop by the L. C. B. A. of St. Peter's Parish, South Side.

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The Twenty-fifth Ward League of Women Voters, at its monthly meeting on Tuesday evening in the North Side Y. M. C. A., will hear Albert Meyrick Whitehouse on "The Romance of Perfume." Mrs. A. L. Fillmore will preside at the short business meeting and Mrs. C. J. Wilson and Mrs. Floyd Coneby will take charge of the program.

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The Twenty-third Ward League of Women Voters is distributing 30 large baskets of food and providing 35 children with clothing today. Mrs. George J. Kriegelstein, chairman of the league, has had as her assistants Mrs. Guy Baskerville, Mrs. Bertha Gruendel, Mrs. Marie Thoerner and Miss Margaret Stewart.

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The Bryn Mawr Club of Pittsburgh is having its Christmas luncheon on Saturday at the Hotel Schenley. Mrs. Oscar Oppenheimer is chairman of arrangements; Miss Eliza Boyd will act as toastmistress, and the president of the club, Mrs. John M. Henry, will preside.

The club offers an undergraduate scholarship each year. Mrs. Richard V. Nuttall is chairman of the scholarship committee.

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Tables at the University of Pittsburgh Alumnae Christmas party on Saturday have been reserved by many of the faculty wives. The party, which is to be at the Hotel Schenley, is a benefit for the Alumnae Association's student loan fund and is in charge of a general committee headed by Miss Elosie R. Bomhard.

Ruth Specter Becomes Bride of Detroit Man

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ruth Specter, daughter of Mrs. Jane Specter, of Shady avenue, to Ruben Scholnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Scholnick, of Detroit, Mich., which was solemnized on Monday.

Mr. Scholnick and his bride sailed on the Empress of Australia for a cruise of the West Indies and upon their return will reside in Pittsburgh.

SIMPLE, WEARABLE CREATIONS OVERSHADOW FANCY FROCKS

Sketched in Paris

Paris Bureau,
Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

PARIS, Dec. 24. — Of course there are very decorative, lavishly done afternoon frocks about, but somehow one doesn't often see them. Nearly every house shows a preponderance of lovely, wearable frocks that are noticeable mostly for their simplicity. And at every place where smart women foregather one sees a vast variety of such frocks, each one managing to be different from its sisters, but all subscribing to subtle simplicity and to certain characteristics of the current mode. A few of those frocks in the wardrobe will promptly insure that well-dressed feeling that comes not from wealth, but from good taste. The wise woman shuns elaborate frocks for day wear, for all such a frock does is to add years and heaviness to the wearer. Simplicity is the essence of youth, but not its prerogative. All of us can make it the theme of the clothes in which we face the world during the daytime. It is one of the secrets of better dressing, so much so that one fine but simple frock will be found more useful and will be more worn than a couple of rich creations.

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IN THE DRAWING will be seen two splendid examples of simple, wearable frocks, both by Patou. At the left is a frock in black double georgette. The draped front of the bodice is edged just below the top with a ruffle of cream lace tying in a bow at one shoulder. The draped edge falls softly over a close flat under-guimpe of the black georgette. The bloused sleeves are slashed from elbow to wrists, where they are gathered into folds. Deep panels, flaring in godet effect at both the front and back of the skirt, give a soft, circular line to the silhouette. Can't you visualize scores of occasions on which you could wear such a frock?

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PATOU IS MAKING use of prints in his mid-season showing. The frock shown is of printed red and white crepe marocain in a Persian design nice for town or winter resort wear. The shirred treatment of one side of the bodice is interesting and smart. Another good detail is the curvine collar, which stands erect at one side and is drawn into a soft looped bow at the other, and is then passed through slits in the bodice proper. The slashed sleeves are similar in cut and detail to those in the other model. Two side pleats at the left front and two more at the right back give width to the straight skirt. The narrow belt ties in a small bow at the side back.

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By ANNE ADAMS

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JUNGLE THRILLS :-: Get Authentic Scenes For Wild Life Movie :-: AMUSEMENTS :-: Notes About Screen And Stage Events

Phillips Holmes to Appear In Schoedsack's New Adventure Film

By HARRISON CARROLL

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HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 24.

Many new jungle thrills are promised screen fans by Ernest B. Schoedsack, Paramount's wandering director, who left Bombay, India, Tuesday to return to Hollywood and shoot interior scenes for "Lives of a Bengal Lancer."

Schoedsack with his wife, Ruth, and his cameraman-brother, have been journeying since July 6. Fifteen weeks of this time were spent in India, where they secured shots of England's famous Bengal Lancers, went tiger hunting on elephant back and made scenes of camel caravans in the historic Khyber Pass.

Phillips Holmes

These authentic episodes will be woven into a story in which Clive Brook and Phillips Holmes are to have featured roles.

As I wrote the other day, Schoedsack's former partner, Merian C. Cooper, has been signed by R-K-O to supervise a series of adventure films. These two men were responsible for "Chang" and "Grass."

LATEST GOSSIP

On Christmas morning, Renee Adoree will receive a box from her friends at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio. Despite her long illness in a Prescott Sanitarium, Renee still is remembered with affection around this lot. The Clive Brooks have decided to spend a white Christmas at Lake Arrowhead. . . . Those three musketeers, Edwin Knopf, Herman Mankiewicz and Jack Gilbert, have hopped a train to spend Yuletide in New York. Lew Ayres will be 24 on Monday; if you want to send him a birthday letter. . . . I heard today of a prominent Hollywood director who has been separated from his wife for 16 years but who still maintains a joint bank account with her. . . . Yuma was the scene of another film wedding Saturday night when Ben Markson, Hollywood writer, and Janet Dawn, a players agent, took the vows. . . . Saw Paul Page dancing at George Olsen's. It was one of the first times he has been out since his serious automobile accident. . . . Seena Owen, looking very attractive, also among the dancers. She'll be signing up for a picture one of these days. . . . Lionel Barrymore has found a pent-house dressing room at M. G. M.

Lewis Ayres

THEATER CLOCK

PENN: Clive Brook in film, "Husband's Holiday." Daily at 10 a. m., 12, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 p. m.

STANLEY: Jackie Cooper in film, "Sooky." Daily at 10:10 a. m., 12:11, 2:12, 4:13, 6:14, 8:15 and 10:16 p. m.

WARNER: Warner Baxter in film, "Surrender." Daily at 10:59 a. m., 12:52, 2:45, 4:38, 6:31, 8:24 and 10:17 p. m.

FULTON: Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell in film, "Delicious." Daily at 10:35 a. m., 12:29, 2:55, 4:21, 6:17, 8:13 and 10:09 p. m.

DAVIS: Boris Karloff in film, "Frankenstein." Daily at 12:05, 2:08, 4:11, 6:14, 8:17 and 10:20 p. m.

HARRIS: Dolores Costello in film, "Expensive Women." Daily at 1:17, 3:30, 6:03, 8:16 and 10:29 p. m.

ENRIGHT: James Cagney in "Blonde Crazy." Daily at 11 a. m., 1:58, 4:13, 6:10, 8:15 and 10:20 p. m.

AVENUE CINEMA: "Two Worlds," German film. Daily at 1:30, 3:22, 5:34, 7:30 and 9:32 p. m.

ACADEMY: "Novelties of 1932," burlesque show. Twice daily, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

Barrymore, Swanson Coming to Penn

Loew's Penn, beginning with Christmas Day, has booked a pretentious list of pictures. Among them are "Private Lives," with Norma Shearer and Robert Montgomery; "Tonight Or Never," Gloria Swanson's latest starring vehicle; Marie Dressler in "Emma"; "Man I Killed," starring Lionel Barrymore, and "Hell Divers," co-starring Clark Gable and Wallace Beery.

Mamie Barth Presents 'Kiddie Revue'

Mamie Barth presents a special "Kiddy Revue" during the 7 o'clock dinner hour Christmas night on the Show Boat. The cast of child players will be headed by David Carey and Rita Leyton.

Plays, Players and By-Play

By WILLIAM J. LEWIS

Dear friends: Life's a play-time in a land of Make-Believe.
And we should have faith in all who act the play.
Hence, I send you heart-gold with gems our souls perceive—
May you all be merry on this glad Christmas day.
—Small Timer.

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Trees 'n trees these days and "The Vinegar Tree" will be the Christmas tree in the Alvin, where Mary Boland will be its star. She will illumine it tomorrow—Christmas—night and all of next week. It is a gay thing and a light thing, as befits the Yuletide, and it is expected to add to merriment of the holiday season. There'll be a Saturday matinee this week and three mats next week—a special one on New Year's Day.

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Small Timer says a pessimist is a person who has no faith in your remedy for saving the country.

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Next Monday the Nixon will awaken from its little nap, rub its eyes and look at the wonders of "The Animal Kingdom," one of whom will be Leslie Howard, the stage boy who made good in Hollywood. "The Animal Kingdom" is a new comedy by Philip Barry, whose playmill turned out "Tomorrow and Tomorrow," shown in the same theater a few weeks ago. Matinees will be three—Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

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Small Timer says the first year of his marriage his mother-in-law called him "Vi's husband," but now calls him "Vi's mistake."

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Just to remind the elders that there is a kiddies' theater, we point the old index finger at YOU in our best mandatory manner and announce that there will be a presentation of a Children's Theater production, "Beauty and the Beast," in the Nixon Saturday morning, January 2, the company being the same that was seen there recently in "Alice in Wonderland." The finger is still pointing—you know—tickets will be wanted by the kiddies.

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Small Timer says consider the reducing specialist, who makes others toil and sweat and lives on the fat of the land.

Bugs' Yuletide List Provides Cheer for All

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

Our little list of Christmas gifts that will spread happiness throughout the land unto all the inhabitants thereof:

Seabury investigators—A doll that can talk but won't. Except by advice of counsel.

Raskob—The hope that the Solid South is only the liquid in brick form.

Big Colleges—A merry muddle and an amateur New Year.

Wall Street—A rock bottom that ain't too spongy.

Railroads—A loading platform on the United States Treasury Building.

Wickersham—A new slate, a piece of chalk and a big eraser.

Japan—Enough room in Manchuria to outflank the visiting diplomats.

International Bankers—Another Senate minstrels with the same end men, Mitchell and Kahn.

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WALTER WINCHELL On Broadway

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The Ghost Love

In her soft arms he knew white ecstasy,
And drank her breath like sacred crimson wine.
Against her breast he never thought of me
Or even dreamed some day I'd call him mine.

He tells me how he loved her—this is why
My heart is heavy now with grief and pain.
I think that it would burst should I but sigh
As flowers do when they are crushed with rain.

He tells me how he loved her—long ago.
When passionate youth coursed fire through his soul,
And all the lovely whisperings I know—
She knew—vows like old wine in a gold bowl.

He loved her when the moon was flaming white,
And all the stars were a blue singing flame.
He loved her then—but he loves me *tonight!*
Although he sometimes—calls me by her name.

—Juanyta Clivette.

Oh, Sure!

"Coolidge Wittiest of Presidents"—Headline.

Only once in his life was Mr. Coolidge funny. In fact he was funnier than Will Rogers.

When he posed in a cowboy hat.

Boo, Y'self!

In the "Frankenstein" flicker the fiend that Frankenstein created pauses to play with a little girl—who gives him a flower to smell.

As he smells it, a look of genuine pleasure comes over his face.

This is very nice, indeed, except that the flower is a daisy—which has no smell.

Of All Things!

The local chin-ema theaters went gay last week offering all sorts of fun in the billing on the theater-fronts. The Strand, for example, announced: "Safe in Hell"—"Not for Children."

The R. K. O. Theater at 86th St. featured: "Kate Smith—Helen Twelvetrees—Bad Company."

Score 1-0 Favor Ripley

"Dear Walter," passionately writes Robert Ripley, who appears in more newspapers than you, you, you, you and me—"I thrive on just such objections as made in your column the other day. In answering I am glad of the opportunity to refute an age-old fallacy which is prevalent in these United States.

"It is not true that a check dated on a holiday is not cashable or not enforceable for that reason. The reverse of it is true. If that little bank in Nebraska chose to keep open on Washington's birthday and to cash checks and put them through the books on that day, there is no authority, either State or Federal, that could prevent them from doing so.

"The document which I reproduced is authentic beyond a shadow of a doubt.—Bob Ripley."

Neatly worded reply, Bob—that "if that little bank CHOSE to keep open on Washington's birthday, etc." I can't imagine any bank keeping open on a legal holiday.

Not New, But Clean

"Whatever became of that old gag you used hundreds of columns ago about the guy who said 'Lend me a nickel, I want to call up a friend,' and a pal said: 'Here's a dime—call all your friends!'?"

"I've read it in dozens of columns in all part of the country in the last 10 days with the borrower being Hoover and the lender being Mellon!"

Overheard Squelch

"The Greeks had a word for him—but they never said it out loud!"

O, Mr. Wilstach!

Suggested for the Dictionary of Best Similes: Gene Fowler: Snores that sounded like five dice in a leather cup. . . . H. Phillips: Ridiculous as some of the questions on application blanks. . . . E. S. Coppock: Pointed as the finger of suspicion. . . . Art Hohmann: As stepped upon as the face on a barroom floor. . . . Joe Renoff: Noticeable as "Frankenstein" in a group of chorus boys. . . . Ted Cook: Unimpressed as Gandhi looking at a clothing ad. . . . Al Schwartz: Necessary as a waste basket to a columnist.

Add Swelegant Retorts

Leon A. Friedman titles it "The Newest Definitions of an Optimist and a Pessimist" to wit:

Optimist: "Next year we'll all be begging!"
Pessimist: "From whom?"

Tree Drama

All is not Christmas trees this glad Yuletide. Mary Boland comes to the Alvin stage Christmas night in "The Vinegar Tree."

Stage Bills, Pictures On Way

"Strictly Dishonorable," co-featuring Paul Lukas, Lewis Stone and Sidney Fox, will open on the Stanley screen tomorrow. The stage will feature Jean Harlow in a personal appearance and Dick Powell's return as master of ceremonies.

Norma Shearer and Robert Montgomery come to the Penn tomorrow in the film version of Noel Coward's comedy, "Private Lives." The stage will present "Jade," a revue that features Ross and Edwards, comedians.

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell are co-starred again in a romance with music called "Delicious," which will open an engagement in the Fulton today. The supporting cast includes El Brendel and Virginia Cherrill.

FILMS, VAUDEVILLE

Seth Parker, radio character, comes to the Sheridan Square tomorrow in "Way Back Home." Vaudeville acts will be a feature on the stage. The Sheridan Square, opening after several weeks of darkness, will change its entire programs twice weekly, opening days being Fridays and Tuesdays.

"Local Boy Makes Good," starring Joe E. Brown, opens tomorrow in the Enright as the film attraction. The stage will feature Marjorie White, film comedienne.

The Warner screen, beginning Saturday, will have "Compromised," co-starring Rose Hobart and Ben Lyon, as its feature. Douglas Fairbanks' travel picture, "Around the World in 80 Minutes," also will be offered.

"Frankenstein," featuring Boris Karloff and Colin Clive, will open a second week in the Davis tomorrow.

OTHER BOOKINGS

"The Rainbow Trail," Zane Grey's latest for the talkies, with George O'Brien playing the lead, comes to the Harris for one week, beginning Saturday. Vaudeville acts will be on the stage.

Vienna, city of romance and song, is the setting of the German film musical, "Schubert's Fruehlingstraum," which opens a week's run in the Avenue Cinema Monday.

Frank X. Silk's "Silk Stocking Revue," Columbia burlesque, will open in the Academy with a midnight show Sunday night. There will be a midnight performance New Year's Eve, to be followed at 3 a. m. by a "milkman's matinee."

Gandhi Says Farewell In Film

THE GLOBE TROTTER

Mahatma Gandhi's farewell speech to the world as he departed from Europe for his home in India, is contained in the current issue of Hearst Metrotone News, showing in the Penn, Fulton and other theaters. In Victoria Hall at Geneva, Switzerland, the Indian leader answers various questions put to him and declares that his policy of peaceable warfare against British rule will be carried on.

The fiercest wrestling bout seen in America in many day is pictured. It is the contest between Jim Londos, the terrible Greek, and Ray Steele, California's hope, staged at Madison Square Garden in New York for the benefit of charity. Fifteen thousand fans cheer wildly for Londos. There is a thrilling description by the Globe Trotter.

CARTOONIST TALKS

Harry Hershfield, Hearst newspaper cartoonist and Broadway humorous, appears on the screen with a series of brand new stories.

To Beppu Beach in Japan go the pretty Geisha girls to visit the "Fountain of Hell." Its waters, and the sand warmed by natural steam under the earth, are supposed to help them retain their stylish figures.

In San Francisco Claude Owen, piloting an autogiro, ascends from the City Hall Plaza and sailing over the city trails behind him a 200 foot streamer with letters 10 feet high spelling out the words "Greetings 1932."

Hearst Metrotone News cameramen make a trip along the Chicago River photographing jackknife bridges and skyscrapers. Interest is added to the picture by some amazing trick photography.

FILMLAND.

WARNER BROTHERS THEATRES
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TELL IT TO SALLY -:- -:- Follow This Unusual Feature Day by Day -:- -:- By SALLY MARTIN

It Is Our Duty to Go On Living Despite Grief

Empty arms! Have you ever known the ache of them?
Empty rooms!
Have you ever known the hell of them?
Arms that once were warm with the clasp of a little form. Rooms that once sang with the call of little voices, the rush of little feet.

And now—only silence, and memory, and the bitter wrench of watching other mothers playing with their babies, while yours lies out in the rain.

Do you know what such loneliness means? Thank God, if you don't.

WALL OF GRIEF

Such a one came to this column one day, signing herself "Distracted Mother." Her little son was dead, and she could not find her way out of the desolation that had fallen on her. A small daughter was left, and a loving husband, but she saw them as through a fog. Grief had built a wall around her so that their pleading voices, their pressing needs meant nothing to her. She could not free herself from the thought of the tiny dead boy.

"What shall I do?" she wept. "How can I go on? What does life matter now?"

And out of the deep wisdom that came with her own loss, another mother answers today. "Dear Sally:

"I feel that I must answer that letter from the broken-hearted mother, because I once was just like her.

"No, she does not need sympathy. Sympathy would only prolong her grief, and make matters worse. I know. Just last year I lost the sweetest little girl that God ever put on this earth. I am not the only one who thought so, either. Her teachers, her playmates, all loved her.

"I have another girl, older than she was, too. But she was my baby. Well, I suffered. I prayed. I didn't know what to do.

NEW HAPPINESS

"I had been warned against having any more children, but when I saw my child die, I felt that if children could die, why should I, a grownup, be afraid? So I made up my mind to have another baby, and I did.

"Well, my little son and I nearly died, but God helped this time, and we both pulled through—my new son and I. And how happy it has made me to have this little new baby!

"I will never forget my sweet little girl, but my new son keeps me so busy that I haven't time to think of her so often, or brood over losing her.

"Dear, broken-hearted mother, what you need is a new baby! It will fill your arms and soothe your heart. One child in a family is very lonely anyway. That little girl of yours needs a brother or sister.

"Remember, she misses her little brother, too, although you may not know it. So does your husband. Don't be selfish, dear friend, and think that only you loved him. They loved him too, and your husband probably feels losing him just as much as you do although, being a man and busy, he doesn't show it.

"Be brave. Bring him and your little daughter happiness. A new baby will do it. Have one! And may God bless you and your new son or daughter!

LIFE GOES ON

"Every family has had trouble and grief of some kind. But what a queer and terrible world this would be if we all let our grief show like you do! Did you ever think of that?

"We must all go on, because we've all known sorrow, and we must all help.

"ONE WHO HAS SUFFERED, TOO."

That's a brave letter, my dear, and God bless you for sending it.

Life must go on and we, who have lost that which was dearest to us, must go with it. That is our duty, and that is also our highest hope.

For if life does go on, in spite of everything, for us upon this earth, why should we doubt that it goes on for those, too, who have passed beyond our sight?

Life may, and does, wear many bodies; yet it always obeys one rule. Life always goes on. Today the fields lie asleep and the grain within them is seemingly as dead as the gravel around them. But with the spring that grain will wake and live again.

If God preserves the life in a blade of grass, shall he destroy the spirit of a little child? I can't believe it, my dear. Have hope! Live on! Love on! Fill your arms again!

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'SILENT NIGHT—HOLY NIGHT'

Drawn by Nell Brinkley

I wish every little child this Christmas a Wish. It is that it might—or may—have as marvelous, as beautiful, as strangely excitable a Christmas Eve as these I had when I was a very little girl. I can find no better one to wish them! My Christmas Eves were, in the first place, in the right setting. In the West of the Rocky Mountain. Where it can snow, my dears, as it used, Eastern Grandmothers say, to snow here in Pittsburgh. As though all the inhabitants of Heaven were throwing out their feather beds. After a night of snow west of Denver on "the foot hills," the old mountains and their feet and the prairie they rested upon were deep in white and encrusted with diamonds that hurt a little child's eyes to look out upon. Diamonds for 10 miles—I could see! And the wagon wheels and faraway feet, making brittle, creaking music in a dry snow such as little Eastern-heard children never see. The day of Christmas Eve was like that. A white world that glittered and was tense with marvels to come.

The little house I looked out from was not logs, of course, but it was no bigger than a play house, warmed by cracking pinewood. The Christmas tree was the last straw, and filled it full. I had cranberries and popcorn on MY tree. Does any little child get that in a town? I had a music box at the foot of it that sang to me and to a row of rakish, but respectable really dolls, that solemn, but exultant song, "Silent Night, Holy Night!" And my Father gave me my presents—slipping out, slipping in, and slipping out again!—in paper whiskers and a white wool cap—and was NEVER RECOGNIZED!

Christmas Eve meant more than Santa Claus. It meant mystery; the meeting of the fairy world with the real one; a confused glory of white satin banners in Sunday school; the glittering Star of Bethlehem, the glittering real stars that looked down at me and struck star fire again from the frozen prairie. Saint Nicholas; angels who looked in my mind much as Greta Garbo looks now; golden lilies; music boxes; candles; the spending of our dollars on my parents; a lump to tears over the extraordinary kindness of that [illegible] old person, Santa Claus, who took the trouble to remember every living child, by some miracle that I did not care to know of; the glow of the fire on the wall as I tried to stay awake, the last belief that I might even wake up with curly hair or a square piano in the cold pink morning! Of Christmas Day.

Such was the magic of Christmas Eve to one little child. I wish the same to all you little persons who write to me—and to those who do not, and never heard of

NELL BRINKLEY.

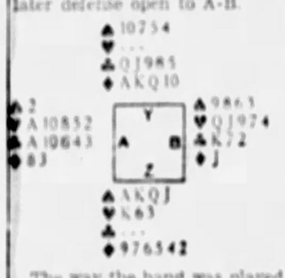
Contract Bridge -:-

OFFICIAL SYSTEM As Adopted by Leading Authorities

By E. V. SHEPARD

What Z Can Win at Spades

Z's dislike of opening bids upon topless suits caused him to bid 1-Spade upon the hand shown below. A overcalled with 2-Hearts, and Y jumped into 4-Spades, ending contracting. A's opening lead was the ace of hearts. I gave the hand yesterday, asking how many tricks Z can win against any later defense open to A-B.



The way the hand was played Z made just his four-odd, scoring game. Y trumped the opening lead, and Z gained entry to his own hand by leading a trump. Dummy trumped a return lead of hearts; the declarer pulled all trumps; led his top heart, then won four diamond tricks in Dummy; led back Dummy's top club and surrendered the last three tricks to opponents. When B remarked that an extra trick or two might have been made, the hand was reconstructed; one player showed how five-odd could be made and another made six-odd; really a grand slam cannot be stopped by A-B if played as detailed below.

Having trumped two rounds of hearts and taken one trick in trumps, before leading dummy's last trump, Z must lead a single round of diamonds, and then put himself in the lead by overtaking Y's last trump. All the declarer has to do after that is to take two more leads of spades, exhausting all trump in his own hand and in that of B. Upon each round of trumps one high diamond must be discarded from dummy. Having pulled all trump, Z must lay down his top heart, discarding upon it Y's laht diamond, leaving the five diamonds good in Z's hand, and giving him a grand slam against any possible defense, after opponents have made the opening lead of the ace of hearts.

Hands like the above, where the high blocking cards in one hand must be discarded to enable the other hand to run off a longer line of that suit, in my own experience appear to be dealt in any one group of players about once a year, or perhaps not so often, but aside from the score there is a great personal satisfaction in making the most of every hand held, sensing that B may hold four trumps is more a matter for instinct than judgment, because five missing trump are divided 4-1 or 5-0 only 32 times in 100 cases.

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Heart of a Wife -:-

Continuation of Love's Reawakening

By ADELE GARRISON

Madge Witnesses Age-Old Battle of Love

My question as to Mary's reaction to Avis Arlen's affectation of affectionate ownership of Noel was soon answered when I saw the glances which passed between the betrothed couple over Miss Arlen's unconscious head. She was now "cheek-dancing" with Noel, or as near the process as she could manage with Noel's face as far away as he could get it without being absolutely rude. His eyes were following Mary with an appeal in them which almost deserved the term agonized. And Mary? I could not blame her—her pride—and what I knew was her sincere love for Noel had been sorely hurt—but she was draining to the last drop the nectar of administering punishment. Indifference, quizzical derision, hilarious amusement—all these were mirrored in the brilliant, flashing glances she sent Noel, but not one hint of softer feeling, no slightest indication that she even remembered her betrothal to him.

Almost without my own volition I moved nearer the dancers, and so was quite close to Noel and Miss Arlen when the record ceased. Noel released her instantly, but her arm descended from his neck reluctantly, and her hand lingered on his sleeve.

"Oh! That was wonderful!" she cooed. "Make it play again for Avis."

"I'll ask Hank." Noel said quickly. "Excuse me, please."

He did not make his usual courteous bow, but left her so abruptly that she did not have a chance to detain him, and crossed swiftly to Mary and Hank. As he did so, I saw Marion deftly steer Bill to Avis's side, and knew that she would be tethered for a few seconds at least.

"Hank!" I heard Noel say in a strained breathless voice. "Miss Arlen wants to dance that record again. Will you put it on again, please and then dance it with her?"

Hank's eyes bulged.

"Will I?" he said exuberantly. "Just watch me."

He fairly leaped to the phonograph and Noel turned to Mary, laughing maliciously up at him.

"Mary," he said, and I wondered a bit impatiently whether he ever would get beyond the mere utterance of her name. It was the third time I had heard him say it in just that tone during the few minutes that had elapsed since the entrance of the Veritzen party.

"That's my name: I admit it," she said with an impish grin.

"Can't we get away somewhere and talk? I must explain——"

"Explain what?" she asked sweetly. "You don't imagine I need an explanation, do you? I'm dumb. I know, but there are things plain enough for even a moron to grasp. But suppose you grasp me now and dance this with me."

Hank was winding the old-fashioned phonograph, and I guessed that Mary had glimpsed—as I had—Avis Arlen's watchful glances toward Noel, and her intentions to summon him back to her. But even if he had seen them, I knew they no longer had the slightest power over him. All his soul was bent upon making peace with Mary, if he could.

He had swung her into position before the record started, and they caught the very first step of the music. Except for a few noted professionals, I never have seen a better dancer than Mary, and Philip Veritzen, himself, than whom there is no higher authority, has made the same statement. Noel, graceful and expert, has danced so much with her that their steps suit perfectly, and to watch them is to realize the banal old phrase of "poetry in motion."

But I did not watch them except for a second or two. Maliciously I wanted to see Avis Arlen's face when she should realize the caliber of Mary's dancing. She had dismissed it as negligible; I know when Mary was suiting her steps to the inexperienced one's of her brother, Hank, but even her vanity could not be proof against the exquisite floating beauty of the movements which Mary and Noel were executing. For almost invariably those two improvise their own steps to any music, and the result is worth watching.

But my malice had only a fleeting reward. For the fraction of a second her eyes widened in amazement and her face looked suddenly 10 years older. Then, as if by magic, the lines smoothed out and she turned a masked, smiling face to Marion.

"How exquisitely your sister dances!" she said gushingly, "or is she your cousin?"

"I'm sorry, neither," Marion said. "She's just the dearest friend I have, and then, of course, she's Noel's fiancee on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays."

I paid due tribute to bravery in the face of the enemy. Avis Arlen's facial expression did not change, and her silvery laugh was apparently spontaneous. But I reflected, she was probably prepared to hear the announcement. Noel was not the lad to deny his engagement. Indeed, he probably had been first drawn to Miss Arlen by her sympathetic admiration of Mary's picture which he always carried with him. I knew the game as well as if I had witnessed it. But I waited curiously for her answer to Marion's sally. It came promptly with just the right note of indulgent amusement.

"Oh! lovely fun!" she gurgled. "But why only Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays?"

(Continued Saturday.)

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How to Keep Well

By DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

Fine Health Is a Good Gift

Dr. Copeland

In the beautiful account given by St. Luke, we learn the story of Jesus' birth and early life. In quaint words he said: "And the child grew and waxed strong in spirit; and the grace of God was upon him."

No greater gift could possibly be given loving parents on Christmas Day, than to know that their child is to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. To grow, to wax strong, to merit the favor of God—there is little else to pray for in the life of any child.

Believing that gifts of health and goodness are largely acquired and not inherited, I tell you in all confidence that physical growth, mental development and vigor of mind and body are within reach of almost every child. With pure blood and fine physique come strength and clean thinking.

It is within your power to have your boy or girl grow and wax strong and be blessed with the grace of God. If you do your duty in the training of your child, you may share the joys of Mary and Joseph, of blessed memory.

Most of the Soviet teachings are obnoxious to me. To make the child the ward of the state is unthinkable. But, in one particular, I must admit there may be merit in that weird doctrine. Parental love, in too many instances, makes for softness and incapacity to exercise that discipline without which the child will be spoiled.

It requires firmness and almost inflexible insistence to drill into the young mind the importance of good habits. And it is certainly true that "as the twig is bent, the tree's inclined." Pope was right about that.

To build character and physique for the child requires character and good physical habits on the part of the parents. If you give example, as well as precept, your offspring will have gifts far more precious than the gold, frankincense and myrrh which the wise presented to Jesus.

Health comes first in the list of human blessings. While that may be counted as something merely physical, it is, after all, at the very foundation of mental and spiritual perfection.

Tomorrow, Christmas Day, let each of us who is in fact or in prospect a parent, promise self and God that every effort shall be made to teach health to the young lives placed in our keeping. Then we, too, may expect the grace of God to fall upon us.

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Household Hints

Oil stains on carpets should be treated with a paste of fuller's earth. Leave the paste to dry and then remove with a stiff brush. Repeat the process if necessary.

Tiled floors that have become stained can be cleaned by rubbing with a cloth dipped in paraffin and a little lard. Wipe afterwards with a soft, dry cloth.

Correct Manners

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

A Matter of Good Taste

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

Is it in good taste for a husband to kiss his wife when entering a room where she is entertaining some of her friends at bridge?

I have always avoided any demonstration of affection before others, unless they are intimate friends of both of us. However, it seems my husband and I have been criticized for omitting this little ceremony. I would appreciate your opinion.

C.

I should think that, instead, your friends would admire this evidence of good taste.

Bread and Butter Plates

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

1. A says when a salad is served at a luncheon and small biscuits are served with the salad, the bread and butter plate is on the left side, that is, just above the salad fork. B says the bread and butter plate is placed on the right side, just above the spoon, the butter knife being placed on the bread and butter plate. Which one is right?

2. Also, are bread and butter plates used at informal dinners and where are they placed if one is serving salad?

3. Is the bread and butter plate always placed on the left (or right) side regardless of what is being served?

4. Are water glasses placed on the right side always? H. O.

1. A is correct. The bread and butter plate is always placed on the left of the plate, above the forks and opposite the goblet.

2. Yes, bread and butter plates are served at an informal dinner. As a matter of fact, they are placed nowadays at all but the strictly formal dinner. They offer such a convenience, not only for bread and butter, but for the accessories such as celery, olives, radishes and nuts and so forth.

3. Yes—always, regardless of what is being served.

4. Yes, always.

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28½	10	[illegible]	1	11½	11½	11½	
11¾	2	Advance Rumely	4	2¼	2¾	2¾	0
20	12¾	[illegible]	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	¼
109½	48¾	Air Reduction	12	51½	50½	50½	
20½	7	Alaska Juneau	252	13½	12½	13	½
12¾	1¼	Alleghany Corp	9	1½	1½	1½	0
59¾	2¼	Alleghany Corp pf ww	4	3	2¾	2¾	¼
59	2¾	Alleghany Corp pf xw	5	3	2½	2½	¼
182¾	64	Allied Chem & Dye	55	68	66¾	66¾	¼
42¾	11	Allis-Chalmers	9	11½	10¾	11¼	¾
18¾	5	Alpha Portland Cem	7	5½	5½	5½	
28	11¼	[illegible]	1	13¾	13	13¾	
62½	12¾	Amer Bank Note 2	5	14¼	13¾	13¾	1¾
4½	¾	Amer Beet Sugar	12	½	½	½	
58	14	Amer Brake Shoe 1.40	5	14	14	14	½
129¾	55¾	American Can	119	62½	61½	61¾	¼
38¾	4½	Amer Car & Fdy	5	6¾	5½	6¾	¼
43¾	5	American Chain		5	5	5	
48¾	30¼	American Chicle	5	31	30½	31	0
21½	5	Amer Colortype		5	5	5	
14¾	5	Amer Comm Alcohol	7	7½	7	7½	¼
51¾	6¾	Amer & For Pow	27	7¾	6¾	7¼	¼
100	20	Amer & For Pow pf 7	4	28	25½	25½	3¾
90	15	Amer & For Pow pf	5	24¼	22	22	2½
79½	10	Amer & For Pow 2nd pf	1	14	13¾	13¾	1¾
80	4	[illegible]	2	5¾	5	5¾	
64	37	Amer Home Prod 4.20	11	44	44	44	
51¾	10¾	Amer Ice	7	11½	11¼	11¼	¼
26	5	Amer Internat	5	5½	5½	5½	0
1½	¼	Amer La France	5	¼	¼	¼	0
30¾	5¾	Amer Locomotive	5	5¾	5	5¾	0
84¾	34¾	Amer Locomotive pf	2	35	34¾	34¾	¼
48¾	16	Amer Mach & Fdy	5	20½	20	20½	0
7	1¾	Amer Mach & Metals	4	2	1¾	2	0
38¾	4¾	Amer Metal	15	5¾	5¼	5½	
64¾	11¼	Amer Pow & Light	27	13¾	13¾	13½	½
84	34¾	Am Pow & Lt pf	1	41	41	41	2
85	35	Am Pow & Lt pf stpd	6	43	41	42	0
102	44¾	Am Pow & Lt pf	4	53	52¾	53	0
21½	5	Amer Rad & Stand San	55	6¾	6	6½	0
12¾	1¼	American Republics	2	1½	1½	1½	¼
37¾	7¾	Amer Roll Mill	12	8¾	8	8¾	0
66	19¼	American Safety Raz	2	23¾	23	23	1
1¾	¼	American Ship & Com	3	¼	¼	¼	
55½	17½	Amer Smelt & Ref	37	19½	18½	18¾	¼
102¾	45	Amer Smelt & Ref pf	1	47	47	47	0
4½	¼	Amer Sol & Chem	2	¼	¼	¼	
11¾	¾	Amer Sol & Chem pf	4	¾	¾	¾	
31¾	5	Amer Steel Fdy	5	6½	6¼	6½	¼
48¾	33¾	American Stores 2	2	33½	33¼	33¼	½
60	34½	Amer Sug Ref	1	35	35	35	1¾
11¾	3¾	Amer Sumatra Tob	5	4	4	4	
201¾	113¾	Amer Tel & Tel 9	155	116	114¾	115¾	¾
128¾	60½	Amer Tobacco	51	65¾	65¾	65¾	¼
132¾	64	Amer Tobacco B	49	66¾	65¾	65¾	¼
132	96	Amer Tobacco pf 6	5	102	101½	101½	1
105	19	Amer Type Founders	1	19½	19½	19½	
80¾	25¾	Amer Wat Wks 3	4	26¾	26½	26¾	¾
11¾	5	American Woolen	9	3	2¾	2¾	¼
40	10¾	American Woolen pf		16¾	16¾	16¾	¼
43¾	9¾	Anaconda Copper	99	10¾	10¾	10¾	¼
36	15	Anchor Cap Corp 2.40	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	0
72	33	Armour of Del pf 7	1	32¾	31	31	2
4½	¾	Armour of Ill A	17	1	¾	¾	0
2½	½	Armour of Ill B	3	½	½	½	0
47	5½	Armour of Ill pf	5	5¾	5½	5½	¼
9	1¾	Arnold Constable	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	¼
20½	7¾	Art Metal Wks	2	7¾	7¾	7¾	
26¾	1¾	Assoc Apparel	1	2	2	2	¼
29¾	6¾	Assoc Dry Goods 1	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	¼
203¾	79½	Atchison T & S Fe 10	7	85¾	83¾	83¾	¼
108¾	78¾	Atchison T & S Fe pf 5	1	78¾	78¾	78¾	1¾
120	25	Atlantic Coast Line	2	31	31	31	
89	10¾	Atlantic Gulf & W I	1	11	11	11	
28¾	5¾	Atlantic Refining	22	6½	5	6½	0
18½	2½	Atlas Stores	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	¼
3¾	1¾	Atlas Tack	1	1½	1½	1½	
255¾	84¾	Auburn Automobile	161	135¾	129	130	1¾
2½	¾	[illegible]	2	¾	¾	¾	
6¾	2½	[illegible]	5	2½	2½	2½	¼
		—B—B—B—					
27¾	4½	Baldwin Loco	5	5¾	5½	5¾	0
87½	14	Baltimore & Ohio	67	16¾	15½	16	¼
2½	½	[illegible]	1	½	½	½	
14¾	4½	Barnsdall Corp A	14	4½	4¼	4½	0
61	37	Beatrice Creamery 4	2	39¾	39	39¾	
62	37½	Beech-Nut Packing 3		38¾	38¾	38½	
28¾	12¾	Bendix Aviation 1	15	17¾	17¾	17¾	¼
48¾	19¾	Best & Co 2	3	22½	21¾	22½	¼
70¾	18¾	Bethlehem Steel 2	55	19	18¾	18¾	¼
128¾	60	Bethlehem Steel 7% pf 7	1	62	62	62	0
29	6	Blaw Knox .50	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	¼
3	¼	Booth Fisheries	1	¼	¼	¼	
76¾	25¾	Borden & Co 3	40	27¾	26¾	27½	¼
30¾	9¾	Borg-Warner 1	3	10¾	10	10	0
66	10	Boston & Maine R R	1	10	10	10	0
32¾	7½	Briggs Mfg 1	21	8¾	7¾	7¾	¼
24½	5	Briggs & Stratton 2	5	5¾	5¾	5¾	
5¾	½	Brockway Mot Trk	1	½	½	½	0
85¾	31¾	Brooklyn Manh T 4	5	33¾	33¾	33¾	¼
129¾	75¾	Brooklyn Union Gas 5	5	77½	75¾	75¾	2¾
9½	1¾	Brunswick Terminal	2	2	1¾	1¾	¼
30¾	3½	Bucyrus-Erie	7	4¾	4¾	4¾	¼
32½	10	Burroughs Add Mach 1	6	11¾	11¾	11¾	0
20¾	3¾	Butterick Co	5	3¾	3	3¾	¼
69¾	11¾	Byers (A M) Co	5	12¾	12	12	¾
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35	5	California Packing	10	5½	5¾	5¾	¼
11¾	3¾	Calumet & Hecla	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
16¾	6¾	Campbell W & C Fdy	2	6	6	6	
48	11	Canada D G Ale 1.20	15	11¾	11	11¾	¼
45¾	11	Canadian Pacific 1¼	61	11¾	11¾	11¾	¼
43¾	17¾	Cannon Mills 1.60	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	¼
181½	33¾	Case (J I) Thresh M	155	41½	39½	40	¼
52¾	10¾	Caterpillar Tractor 2	5	11	10¾	10¾	¼
16	2¾	Celanese Corp	5	3¾	3½	3½	
36¾	11	Central Aguirre 1½	2	12	12	12	0
50¾	9¾	Cerro de Pasco Copp 1	17	13¾	12¾	13¼	¼
7¾	2¾	Certain-Teed Prod	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	¼
32¾	3¾	Checker Cab Mfg	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	¼
46¾	23¾	Chesapeake & Ohio 1½	42	27¾	26½	26¾	¼
54¾	15¾	Chesapeake Corp 2	4	16	14¾	14¾	¼
7¾	2½	Chicago Gt Western	10	2¾	2½	2½	
37¾	7¾	Chi Gt Western pf 2	1	10¾	10	10	¼
8¾	1¾	Chicago Mil & St Paul	18	1¾	1½	1½	¼
18¾	2¾	Chicago Mil & St P pf	56	3	2¾	2¾	¼
45¾	5	Chi & Northwest	28	6	5¾	5¾	¼
116	18¾	Chi & Northwest pf	4	15¾	15¾	15¾	¼
65¾	7¾	Chi Rock I & Pac	4	9¾	9½	9½	0
90	10¾	Chi Rock I & Pac 6% pf	1	14	13½	13½	¼
101	15	Chi Rock I & Pac 7% pf	4	18¾	17	18¾	¼
22¾	6¾	Childs Co	2	6¾	6	6	¼
25¾	11¾	Chrysler Motor 1	41	13¾	12½	13¼	¼
37¾	26	City Ice & Fuel 2.40	3	27	25½	27	¾
22¾	8¾	Clark Equip	1	8½	8½	8½	
170	97¾	Coca-Cola	44	107	104¾	105¾	¼
50½	24	Colgate Pal Peet 2½	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	½
104½	79¾	Colgate Pal Peet pf 6	1	86¾	86¾	86¾	
10¾	7¾	Colonial Beacon Oil	3	10	10	10	
17¾	6½	Collins & Aikman Co	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	¼
95	65	Collins & Aikman pf 7	1	70	70	70	
32¾	7¾	Colo Fuel & Iron		7¾	7¾	7¾	0
48	10	Colorado & Southern	1	8	7½	8	
111¾	27	Columbian Carbon 4	4	33¾	33¾	33¾	¼
45¾	11¾	Colum Gas & El 1¼	80	13	12¾	13	¼
22¾	8	Com Credit 1.60	3	10	9¾	9¾	¼
34	16¾	Com Invest Tr 2	7	17	16¾	16¾	0
21¾	6¾	Commercial Solvents 1	16	8	7¾	7¾	¼
12	2	Commonwlth & So	22	2¾	2¾	2¾	0
100¾	46	Commonwlth & So pf 6	4	62	61½	61½	1¾
14¾	6¾	Congoleum-Nairn	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	¼
30¾	6¾	Congress Cigar 1	11	7¾	7¾	7¾	0
16	3¾	Consol Film Ind		4	4	4	¼
18¾	7¾	Consol Film pf 2	1	9¾	9½	9½	¼
109¾	58¾	Consol Gas 4	125	61¼	59¾	60¾	1
107	88	Consol Gas pf 5	5	92¾	91	91	2
18¾	8½	Consol Laundries 1	66	9¾	9½	9½	¼
42¾	10	Consol RR of Cuba pf 6	5	11¾	11	11	0
1¾	¾	Consol Textile	5	¾		¾	
		Container Corp A	7	1¾	1	1¾	¼
8	¾	Container Corp B	14	¾	¾	¾	
8¾	¾	Contin Baking B	27	¾	¾	¾	¼
77¾	40	Contin Baking pf 8	1	42¾	42¾	42¾	½
69¾	30¾	Continental Can 1½	17	33¾	33¾	33¾	¼
61¾	18¾	Contin Insurance 2.40	15	20¾	19½	20¾	1¾
4¾	1	Contin Motors	8	1¾	1	1¾	0
19	5	Contin Oil	25	5¾	5½	5¾	¼
12	¾	Contin Shares	18	¾	¾	¾	¼
88¾	36¾	Corn Prod Ref 3	17	40¾	39¾	39¾	¼
19	2¾	Coty Inc	5	3	3	3	0
84½	20	Cream of Wheat 2	3	22¾	21¾	22¾	
88¾	18¾	Crown Cork & Seal 2.40	1	15	15	15	1¾
6¾	1¾	Crown Zellerbach	3	1¾	1¾	1¾	
93	21¾	Crucible Steel	14	22¾	22¾	22¾	¼
6¾	¾	Cuba Co	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
6¾	1	Cuban-Amer Sugar	1	1¾	1½	1½	
2¾	¼	Cuban C Prod	4	¼	¼	¼	0
48¾	29	Cudahy Packing 4	3	30¾	30¾	30¾	¼
100	26	Curtis Publish 4	1	28	26½	26½	1½
5¾	1¾	Curtiss-Wright Corp	55	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
9½	1¾	Curtiss-Wright Corp A	7	2	1¾	1¾	¼
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28	8¾	Davison Chemical	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	
92	18¾	Deere & Co pf 1.40	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	¼
157½	64	Delaware & Hudson 9	2	72½	71¾	72½	¼
102	18	Delaware Lack & W 3	9	18	17¾	17¾	¼
195	110¾	Detroit Edison 8	1	111½	111½	111½	2¼
28	10¾	Diamond Match 1	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	0
21¾	8½	Doug Aircraft 1¼	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	¼
18	11	Dresser Mfg B 2		11½	11½	11½	¼
78¾	42¾	Drug Incorp 4	15	51¾	51	51	¾
8¾	2	Dunhill Internat	5	2¾	2¾	2¾	
107	60¾	Du Pont de Nemours 4	91	55¾	53¾	54	¼
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18¾	2¾	Eastern Roll Mill	11	3	2¾	2¾	0
185¾	77¾	Eastman Kodak 8	11	82	80¾	81	¾
31¾	6	Eaton Axle & Sprg 1	2	6¾	6¾	6¾	0
60	35¾	Eitingon Schild pf	8	52	52	52	0
74¾	20	Electric Auto-Lite 4	41	30¾	29¾	29¾	¼
4½	1	Electric Boat	4	1	1	1	
60¾	9	Electric P & Lt 1	27	11½	10¾	11	0
108¾	41	Electric P & Lt pf 7	1	50¾	50¾	50¾	2¾
98¾	32	Electric P&Lt 6% pf 6		45	45	45	
66	22	Electric Stor Battery 4	4	26¾	26	26	¼
9¾	2	Elec & Music Ltd	18	2¾	2¾	2¾	¼
48¾	23¼	Endicott-Johnson 3	3	26¾	26	26¾	0
49	15	Engineers Pub Ser 1.40	2	19½	19½	19½	
35½	18¾	Equitable Off Bldg 2½	1	19½	19½	19½	
39¾	5	Erie R R	6	6½	5¾	6	¼
8¾	1¾	Evans Products	4	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
		—F—F—F—					
29¾	3¾	Fairbanks Morse	1	4½	4½	4½	0
6½	1¾	[illegible]	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	
27	3¾	Federal Water Service	3	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
27¾	11	Fed Dept Stores 1		13¾	13½	13½	
55	20¾	[illegible]	3	23½	23	23½	¾
21½	12¾	Firestone T & R 1		13¾	13¾	13¾	¾
86½	49¾	Firestone T & R pf 6	9	51	49¾	51	1
63	41	First Nat Stores 2½	5	47½	46¾	47½	½
¾	¼	Fisk Rubber	9	¼	¼	¼	0
64¾	8	[illegible]	2	8¾	8¾	8¾	¼
32½	15¾	Foster Wheeler	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	¼
38¾	2½	Fox Film A	18	3¾	3	3¾	¼
43¾	13¾	Freeport Texas 2	10	16½	15¾	16¾	¾
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7¾	2¾	Gen Am Invest	2	2½	2½	2½	
88	45	Gen Am Invest pf ww 6	1	47	47	47	
78¾	28	Gen Am Tank Car 4	14	30	28	30	½
47	8¾	Gen Asphalt	3	11½	11¼	11½	½
25¾	9¾	General Baking 1	11	11½	10¾	10¾	½
13	1¾	General Cable	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	0
25	2½	General Cable A	4	3¾	3¾	3¾	
54¾	22½	Gen Electric 1.60	106	24½	24¼	24½	¼
12¾	10¾	Gen Electric spec .60	2	11	11	11	
56	29¾	General Foods 2	42	32½	31½	32	¼
5½	1¾	Gen Gas & El A	5	1¾	1¾	1¾	
76¾	14¾	Gen Gas & El pf	1	16¾	16¾	16¾	
50	29¾	General Mills 3	1	31	30¾	31	¼
45	21¾	General Motors	257	23	22¼	22½	¼
103¾	78¾	General Motors pf 5	1	83	81½	81½	2¾
10¾	3¾	General Outd Advert	15	3¾	3¾	3¾	
25	4	Gen Outdoor Advert A	9	7¾	6¾	6¾	¼
25	2¾	Gen Pub Service	4	3¾	3¾	3¾	0
54¾	21	General Ry Signal	6	24½	24½	24½	1¾
8½	¾	Gen Realty & Util	14	¾		¾	
74¾	14½	Gen Realty & Util pf ww	2	14½	14½	14½	0
57¾	12	Gen Refractories 1	1	14½	13¾	14½	2
15¾	½	Gen Theatres Equip	7	½	½	½	0
38¾	9¾	Gillette Saf Razor	44	11¾	11¾	11¾	¼
78¾	45	Gillette Saf Raz pf 5	1	45	45	45	
7¾	2	Gimbel Brothers	1	2½	2½	2½	0
16¾	5¾	Glidden Co	4	5	5	5	0
9¾	3¾	Gobel Incorp	47	6¾	5½	5½	0
42¾	14¾	Gold Dust 1.60	16	18¾	17½	17½	0
20¾	3¾	Goodrich (B F) Co	16	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
68	10	Goodrich (B F) Co pf	1	11	11	11	
52¾	13¾	Goodyear T & Rub 1	16	15¾	14¾	14¾	¼
91	35	Goodyear T & R 1st pf 7	24	42½	42½	42½	½
15¾	3¾	Gotham Silk Hos	1	7½	7½	7½	0
6½	1¾	Graham Paige Mot	14	3¾	3½	3¾	¼
22¾	5¾	Granby Copper	1	6½	6½	6½	0
26½	2	Grand Silver Stores	1	2½	2½	2½	¼
42	24½	Great (A & P) Tea Co	1	25¾	25¾	25¾	0
69¾	15¾	Great Northern pf	35	18½	17¾	18¼	0
23½	10	Great Nor Ore Ctfs 2		11¾	11¾	11¾	¼
11¾	5¾	Great West Sugar	6	6½	6	6	¼
6¾	1	Grigsby-Grunow	3	1	1	1	¼
1½	¾	Guantan Sugar	10	¾	¾	¾	0
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9¾	1¾	Hahn Dept Store	9	1¾	1½	1½	0
63¾	14½	Hahn Dept Store pf 6½	1	14½	14½	14½	0
7¾	¾	Hartman Corp B	1	¾	¾	¾	
5	1¾	Hayes Body	2	1¾	1¾	1¾	0
55	26	Hercules Powder 3	10	26½	26	26	
108¾	68	Hershey Chocolate	5	80	78½	78¾	2¾
104	70½	Hershey Choc pf 4	4	80	79	79	4¾
57	10½	Holland Furnace 1	1	10½	10½	10½	
155	81	Homestake Mining	2	128	128	128	5
9¾	2¾	Houd-Hersh B	1	3	2½	3	0
65	52½	Household Fin pf 4	1	57	57	57	
58½	15¾	Houston Oil	3	18	18	18	¼
14½	3	Houston Oil new		3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
29½	11½	Howe Sound 2	2	14	14	14	0
13¾	3¾	Hupp Motor	10	4¾	4½	4½	¼
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89	9¾	Illinois Central	27	10¾	9¾	9¾	¼
114	16	Illinois Central pf	2	22	20½	20½	2
66	21	Indust Rayon 4	1	24	24	24	½
182	25¾	Ingersoll Rand 4	4	29	25½	29	¾
11¾	3	Inspiration Copper	3	3½	3½	3½	¼
12¾	4½	[illegible]	1	5¾	5½	5½	¼
9¾	2¾	[illegible]	10	2½	2½	2½	0
24	7	[illegible]	1	7	7	7	0
15	3¾	[illegible]	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
	5¾	Inter Agric C pf	3	5¾	5¾	5¾	
179½	92	Inter Bus Mach 6	12	107½	102¾	103	5¾
62½	16	International Cement 2	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	¼
4	½	Internat Com Eng	5	½	½	½	¼
	4	Internat Com Eng pf	1	4	4	4	0
60½	22¾	Inter Harvester 2½	12	24	23¾	24	¼
31	9¾	Inter Hydro Elec 2	14	10½	10	10½	¼
75¾	16¾	*Internat Match pf 4	10	17½	16¾	17½	1¾
16¾	2¾	Inter Mer Marine	2	3	3	3	
20¾	7	Inter Nickel of Can .20	88	7¾	7½	7½	0
128	80	Inter Nickel of Can pf 7	1	82	82	82	0
10¾	1¾	Internat P & Pap A	1	2	2	2	0
6¾	¾	Internat P & Pap B	1	1	1	1	
4¾	¾	Internat P & Pap C	5	¾		¾	¼
43¾	7½	Internat P & P pf	12	7½	6¾	6¾	¼
16¾	4¾	Internat Print Ink	2	4½	4½	4½	0
42	19	Internat Salt 3	2	19¾	19¾	19½	¼
54	37¾	Internat Shoe 3	5	37¾	37¾	37¾	0
51	16¾	Internat Silver	5	18¾	18	18	¼
38¾	7¾	Internat Tel & Tel .60	101	8½	8	8¾	0
9½	1¾	Investors Equity	15	1½	1½	1½	0
51	15¾	*Island Creek Coal 2	1	15	15	15	
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60¾	15¾	*Johns-Manville Corp 1	12	17½	17¾	17¾	¼
		—K—K—K—					
45	6¾	Kansas City South	2	8	8	8	1
64	15	Kansas C South pf 4	2	15	15	15	0
3½	½	Kelly-Spring Tire	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	
29¾	3¾	Kelsey Hayes Wheel	9	3¾	3¾	3¾	0
19¾	6	Kelvinator Corp	6	7¾	7¾	7¾	¼
31¾	9¾	Kennecott Copper .50	75	11¾	11¾	11¾	¼
29¾	15¾	Kresge (SS) Co 1.60	9	15¾	15¾	15¾	0
37¾	4¾	Kreuger & Toll 1.60	79	4¾	4½	4½	¼
38¾	12¾	Kroger Groc & Bak 1	63	13¾	13¾	13¾	¼
		—L—L—L—					
87¾	40½	Lambert & Co 5	5	50¾	49½	50¾	1
17¾	5	Lane Bryant Inc 1	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	
4¾	1¾	Lee Rubber & Tire	1	2	2	2	¼
18¾	5	Lehigh Port Cement	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	
61	5	Lehigh Valley	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	¼
5¾	1¾	Lehigh Valley Coal	10	2	2	2	0
30	6¾	Lehigh Valley Coal pf	3	6	6	6	
69¾	35	Lehman Corp 2.40	10	36½	36¾	36½	0
34¾	18¾	Lehn & Fink 3	2	20	20	20	
20½	5½	Libbey Owens Ford Gl	2	6½	6½	6½	0
91	59	Liggett & Myers 4	3	45¾	45¾	45¾	¼
91½	40	Liggett & Myers B 4	53	46	44¾	45	0
33	17	Link Belt 1.20	1	15	15	15	
63½	22¾	Loew's Incorp 3	4	27	26¾	26¾	¼
6½	2¾	Loft Incorp	5	3¾	3	3½	0
4	¾	Long Bell Lumber A	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	
54¾	29¾	Loose-Wiles Bis	6	31½	31	31½	¼
21¾	10	Lorillard (P) Co 1.20	5	12¾	12¾	12¾	¼
38¾	17¾	Louisville G & E A 1½	3	20	20	20	0
111	20¾	Louisville & Nash 4	4	24	23	23	2
19	4	Ludlum Steel	2	5	5	5	
52½	12	Ludlum Steel pf	1	14	12	14	1
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42¾	12	Mack Truck 1	13	13¾	13	13	¾
106¾	50	Macy (R H) Co 3	10	53	51¾	52	1¾
29	8½	Manhat El mod gtd	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	¼
12	1	Manhattan Shirt 1	22	5¾	4½	4½	
24¾	9½	Marine Midland 1.20	24	10	9¾	10	¼
32¾	9¾	Martin Rockwell 2	3	10½	10½	10½	
10	1¾	Marmon Motor	7	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
32¾	9½	Marsh Field 2½	3	10	10	10	0
31¾	12	Mathieson Alk Wks 2		14½	14½	14½	¼
39	16¾	May Dept Store 2½	2	16¾	16	16	¼
8½	1¾	Maytag Co	3	2	2	2	0
24¾		Maytag Co pf w w 3	5	6½	6	6½	¼
36	16¾	McCall Corp 2.50	2	16½	16¾	16¾	¼
29	6	McGraw-Hill Publish	23	6½	6¾	6¾	0
102¾	38½	McKeesport Tin P 4	7	49	48	49	1
17	3¾	McKesson & Robbins	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
37¾	15	McKesson & Rob pf 3.50	4	16½	16	16¾	¼
10¾	2	McLellan Stores	1	2	2	2	¼
8½	2	Mengel Co	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	
10¾	2¾	Miami Copper	5	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
16¾	5	Mid-Continent Pet	9	6¾	6½	6½	0
31¾	7	Midland Steel Prod 2	4	8¾	8¾	8¾	¼
	¼	Minnea & St L	5	¼	¼	¼	0
7¾	1¼	Minneg Mol Power	5	1½	1¼	1¼	0
48	6½	Minneg Mol Pow pf	1	7½	7½	7½	0
26¾	4	Missouri Kan & Tex	4	4½	4¾	4¾	0
88	10¾	Missouri Kan & Tex pf	6	12½	11½	12¾	1
42¾	6¾	Missouri Pacific	7	7½	7¾	7¾	¼
107	12	Missouri Pacific pf	9	14½	13	13¾	1
21¾	7¾	Mohawk Carpet Mills	5	8½	8½	8½	0
29¾	6¾	Montgomery Ward	42	7¾	7¾	7¾	¼
58	31	Morrell & Co 3	1	33	33	33	¼
¾	¾	Mother Lode	10	¾	¾	¾	0
4¾	¾	Motor Meter Gauge & E		¾	¾	¾	0
19½	5½	Motor Wheel .50	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	0
31¾	11¾	Munsingwear Co 2	3	12	12	12	0
18¾	5	Murray Co of Am	87	6½	6	6	¼
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40½	15	Nash Motors 2	22	15½	15¾	15¾	¼
10¾	2¼	National Acme	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	0
10	1	National Bellas Hess	5	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
88¾	36¾	National Biscuit 2.80	5	39¾	38¾	39¾	¼
39¾	7½	Nat Cash Register A	19	7¾	7½	7½	¼
50¾	20	National Dairy Pr 2.60	82	23¾	22½	23	¼
7½	¾	National Dept Store	1	¾	¾	¾	0
36¾	16	National Distillers 2	5	18¾	17¾	18	1¾
132	78½	National Lead 5	1	84¾	84¾	84¾	1¾
44½	10¾	National Pow & Lt 1	86	14	13¾	13¾	¼
58	18½	National Steel 2	28	20¾	20	20	¼
70¾	5	National Supply	23	6¾	6½	6½	¼
76½	10	National Surety 2	7	12½	12	12¾	0
24¾	7¾	National Tea 1	6	7	6¾	6¾	¼
14¾	4½	Nevada Consol Cop .40	13	5¾	5¾	5¾	¼
4	1¾	Newport Industries	5	2¾	2	2	¼
24	2¾	Newton Steel	2	3	3	3	¼
25	5¾	N Y Airbrake	2	6¾	6	6	¼
132¾	24¾	New York Central	124	29¾	28½	28¾	¼
88	5	N York C & St L	1	5	5	5	¼
94	6	N York C & St L pf	5	6¾	6¾	6¾	¼
12½	1¾	New York Invest	‡1920	1½	1½	1½	¼
94½	17	New York N H & H R R	19	20½	19¾	20½	¾
18¾	6¾	New York O & Western	1	6½	6½	6½	0
12¾	2½	New York Shipbldg	7	4	4	4	0
29½	10	Noranda Mines .50	18	12½	11¾	12¾	¼
90½	26	North American	64	32½	32¾	32¾	¼
11	2¾	North Amer Aviation	2	3	2¾	2¾	¼
35¾	4	North Ger Lloyd 3.43	1	4½	4½	4½	0
60¾	14½	Northern Pacific 3	34	16½	16	16	¼
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19¾	5¾	Ohio Oil Co	18	6½	5½	5½	0
5¾	¾	Oliver Farm Equip	10	¾	¾	¾	0
26	3¾	Oliver Farm Eq pr pf	6	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
58¾	16¾	Otis Elevator 2½	4	19½	19¾	19¾	¼
16¾	3¾	Otis Steel	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
39¾	20	Owens Illinois Glass 2	1	20¾	20¾	20¾	¾
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54¾	29¾	Pacific Gas & Elec 2	11	33¾	32¾	33¾	¼
69½	35	Pacific Light Corp 3	4	39	38¾	38¾	¼
11¾	3¾	Packard Motor .40	‡6960	4½	4	4	0
50¾	5½	Para Publix 2½	132	6½	6¾	6¾	0
2¾	¾	Park Utah Consol	4	1¼	1¼	1¼	0
4¾	1	Parmelee Trans	5	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
2¾	¾	Pathe Exchange	17	¾		¾	0
15½	4¾	Patino Mines & Ent	2	6¾	6½	6¾	
4¾	2	Peerless Motor	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	0
44½	26¾	Penney (J C) Co 2.40	‡550	27¾	27¾	27¾	0
5½	¾	Penna Dixie Cement	6	1			¼
29	4¼	Penna Dixie Cement pf	3	5	4¾	4½	0
64	16¾	Penna R R 2	60	19½	18¾	18¾	¼
55	4	Pere Marquette	2	5	5	5	0
10½	3¾	Petroleum Corp 1	16	3¾	3¾	3½	0
25¾	5½	Phelps Dodge Corp 1	15	7¾	7	7	¼
56¾	30	Phila Co 6% pf 3		36	36	36	¼
12¼	2¾	Phila & Read C & I	16	3¾	3	3½	¼
16¾	4	Phillips Petroleum	28	4½	4¾	4½	0
1½	¼	Pierce Oil	6	¼	¼	¼	0
23¾	4¼	Pierce Oil pf	2	5½	4¾	5½	¼
3¾	¾	Pierce Petroleum	5	¾		¾	
39¾	26½	Pirelli Co 3.11	1	26½	26½	26½	¼
80	31½	Pitts Coal of Pa pf	3	30	30	30	1½
37	19½	Pillsbury Flour Mills 2	1	20½	20½	20½	¼
15	1¾	Pittsburgh United	5	1¾	1¾	1¾	
87	11	Pitts & West Virginia	2	12	12	12	
27	2	Por Rican-Am Tob A	3	4	3¾	4	
5	½	Porto Rican-Am Tob B	2	1½	1¼	1¼	¼
39½	4	Postal Tel & Cable pf	3	5	5	5	¼
20¾	4¾	Prairie Oil & Gas	4	5	4¾	5	¼
26½	5¾	Prairie Pipe Line	3	6¾	6	6	0
47¾	5	Pressed Steel Car pf	1	6¾	6¾	5¾	¼
71¾	36¾	Procter & Gamble 2.40	25	39¾	38½	39	1
6	1	Producers & Refiners	2	1¾	1¾	1¾	0
96½	49¾	Pub Ser of N J 3.40	32	53½	52¾	53	½
58½	15¾	Pullman Incorp 3	20	16¾	15½	16	¾
2	¼	Punta Alegre Sugar	4	¾		¾	
11¾	3¾	Pure Oil	17	4	3¾	3¾	0
55¾	10¾	Purity Bakeries 2	6	11¾	11¾	11½	¼
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27½	5¾	Radio Corp of Am	40	5¾	5½	5½	0
55¾	20	Radio Crp of Am pf 3½	2	28¾	28¾	28¾	¼
60	9½	Radio Corp of Am pf B	4	13	11¾	12½	¼
24½	¾	Radio Keith Orpheum	29	¾		¾	0
61	7	Railroad Sec Ill Cen 4	20	9	9	9	
29½	8½	Raybestos Manhat 1.60	2	9½	8½	9½	0
47	27¾	Reading Co 2nd pf 2	*2	28	27½	27½	
19¾	2	Remington Rand	61	2¾	1¾	2¼	¼
10½	3	Reo Motor Car .40	9	3¾	3½	3¾	¼
28¾	4¾	Republic Steel	18	4¾	4½	4½	¼
84	8½	Republic Steel Corp pf	14	9	8¾	8¾	¼
22¾	7	Reynolds Metal 1½	4	8	7½	7½	¼
54½	33	Reynolds Tobacco B 3	131	33½	32¾	33½	¼
6¾	¾	Richfield Oil of Cal	5	½	¾	¾	¼
10¾	1¾	Rio Grande Oil	2	1½	1½	1½	¼
41¾	5¾	Ritter Dental Mfg	1	7½	7½	7½	¼
26	3¾	Rossia Insurance Co	1	4	4	4	0
42¾	12	Royal Dutch 1.24	11	13½	13½	13¾	¼
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69½	38¾	Safeway Stores 5	5	41½	41½	41½	¼
30¾	7½	St Joseph Lead .40	27	8½	8	8	¼
62¾	3	St Louis & San Fran	7	3½	3¾	3¾	0
76	4½	St Louis & S Fran pf 6	11	5½	4¾	4¾	¼
20¾	3¾	Savage Arms	1	4	3¾	4	0
11¾	3¾	Schulte Ret Stores	3	4	4	4	0
1¾	¾	Seaboard Air Line	155	¾	¾	¾	¼
20¾	5¾	Seaboard Oil Co	6	6½	6½	6½	0
63¾	30¾	Sears Roebuck 2½a	40	33¾	32¾	32¾	¼
6½	1¾	Second Nat Investors	2	1½	1½	1½	
11¾	3¾	Servel Incorp	26	4¾	4½	4¾	0
13¾	2¾	Sharon Steel Hoop	5	4¼	4¼	4¼	0
21	3½	Sharpe & Dohme	3	4	3½	4	0
61½	30	Sharpe & Dohme pf 3½	1	30	30	30	0
29½	8¾	Shattuck (F G) 1	4	10½	10½	10½	¼
10½	3	Shell Union Oil	28	3¾	3	3½	0
78	15¾	Shell Union Oil pf	14	15½	15½	15½	¼
9½	¾	Shubert Theatre	1	¾		¾	
23¾	6¾	Simmons Co	31	7½	7¼	7¾	¼
11	3¾	Simms Petroleum	2	4¾	4¾	4¾	0
15¾	4¾	Sinclair Consol Oil	56	4¾	4¾	4¾	0
12¾	2¾	Skelly Oil	23	2¾	2	2	¼
62	10	Skelly Oil pf ww	3	12½	12½	12½	¼
4¾	¼	Snider Packing	5	¼	¼	¼	0
15¾	2	Snider Packing pf	3	3	3	3	0
21	8¾	Socony-Vacuum 1	67	9½	9	9	0
54½	28¾	Southern Cal Edison 2	7	30½	29¾	29¾	¼
109½	27½	Southern Pacific 4	43	29¾	28¾	28¾	¼
17½	6¾	So Porto Ric Sug	5	7¾	7	7	¼
88	6½	Southern Railways	15	8	7½	7½	¼
65¾	9¾	Southern Railways pf	4	13	12½	12½	¼
13¾	2¾	Sparks Withington	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	0
4	1¾	Spear & Co	‡200	1¾	1¾	1¾	
17¾	6	Spicer Mfg Co	1	6	6	6	
33¾	13	Spicer Mfg Co pf 3	3	12¾	11¾	12½	
17¾	3	Spiegel May Stern	2	3	3	3	¼
20½	10¾	Standard Brands 1.20	60	12½	12	12¾	¼
4	1¾	Standard Comer Tob	3	2	1¾	2	¼
88¾	25¾	Standard Gas & E 3½	12	28¾	27½	28	0
64¾	29¾	Standard Gas & E pf 4	2	35	35	35	0
106	87¾	Stand Oil Export pf 5	2	87½	87½	87½	¼
51¾	23¾	Stand Oil Cal 2½	64	24½	23¾	24¾	¼
19	7¾	Stand Oil of Kan	4	10	9¾	10	½
52½	26	Stand Oil (N J) 2	96	26½	26¾	26¾	¼
5¾	½	Sterling Sec A	15	¾	¾	¾	¼
9¾	1¾	Sterling Sec pf	6	1½	1½	1½	0
21½	4¾	Stewart Warner	9	5¾	5	5¾	¼
54½	9¾	Stone & Webster 2	28	10¾	10¼	10¾	¼
26	9	Studebaker 1.20	7	11¾	11	11	¼
40¾	15	Superheater Co 1	1	14½	14½	14½	
1¾	¾	Superior Oil	3	¾	¾	¾	0
18¾	2¾	Superior Steel	10	4¾	3¾	3¾	¼
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21½	11¾	Telautograph Corp 1.40	1	11½	11½	11½	¼
9½	2	Tennessee Corp	10	2½	2¾	2¾	¼
36¾	9¾	Texas Corp 2	2	11¾	11	11	¼
55¾	19½	Texas Gulf Sulphur 3	49	22½	22	22¾	¼
17¾	4¼	Texas Pac Land Trust	11	4¾	4¾	4¾	0
22	3¾	Thatcher Mfg Co	1	5	5	5	½
9	2	Thermoid Co	2	1¾	1¾	1¾	
15¾	5½	Third Avenue Ry	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	½
27	11¾	Third Nat Invest .55	3	13½	12½	12½	¼
18	6¾	*Thomp Product 1.20	12	10¾	9	10¾	1¾
8½	¾	Thomp Starrett	2	1¾	1	1¾	
9	2¾	Tide Water A Oil	27	2¾	2½	2½	0
68	20½	Tide Water A Oil pf 6	5	25	24¾	25	¼
12	3½	Timken Det Axle	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	0
59	16¾	Timken Roller Bear 2	2	19	18¾	19	¼
4½	1¾	Tobacco Prod	1	2½	2½	2½	¼
14	6	Tobacco Prod A	12	7	6¾	6¾	¼
18	2	Transamerica Corp	73	2¾	2	2¾	0
11¾	2	Tri-Continental	21	2¾	2½	2¾	0
24	6	Truscon Steel	3	6¾	6½	6¾	
27½	2½	Twin City Rap Tran	1	2	2	2	
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75¾	14	Underwood El Fisher 3	14	15	13¾	15	1
72	27½	Un Carb & Carbon 2.60	28	31	30¼	30¼	¼
26¾	11	Union Oil (Cal) 2	6	13	12½	12½	0
205¾	71½	Union Pacific 10	10	75	73¾	73¾	½
87	61	Union Pacific pf 4	4	68¾	67½	68¾	¼
35¾	16	Union Tank Car 1.60	5	16	16	16	0
38¾	9½	United Air & Tran	17	11	10¾	10¾	¼
61¾	40	United Air & Tran pf 3	4	42	40½	42	½
27¾	5	United Amer Bosch	1	6	6	6	
28¾	6¾	United Carbon	2	8¾	8½	8½	¼
7¾	1¼	United Cigar Store	30	1¼	1¼	1¼	0
76	20	United Cigar Store pf 6	10	20	20	20	
31¾	7½	United Corp ¾	‡9636	8¾	8½	8¾	¼
52½	26¾	United Corp pf 3	15	32½	31½	32	¼
67¾	17½	United Fruit 3	6	22	20¾	21	1¾
37¾	15¾	United Gas Imp 1.20	‡8475	18¾	18	18¾	¼
106¾	83	United Gas Imp pf 5	2	86	85	85	
31¾	9¾	United Piece Dye Wks	1	10¾	10¾	10¾	0
10	5	United States Distrib	1	4	4	4	
12½	1¾	United States & For S	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	¼
90	42	United States & F S pf 6	1	44¼	44¼	44¼	¼
30¾	4¾	United States Freight	5	5¾	5¾	5¾	
50	14½	U S Gypsum 1.60	5	18¾	18	18¾	¼
77¾	20¾	U S Ind Alcohol	‡11230	27¾	25¾	26	¼
10¾	2¾	United States Leath	5	2¾	2¾	2¾	¼
15¾	3¾	United States Leath A	4	3½	3¾	3¾	¼
37¾	10	U S Pipe & Fdy 2	10	12	11½	11¾	¼
36¾	5½	United States Realty	22	6½	5½	5¾	¼
20¾	3½	United States Rubber	12	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
36¾	6¾	United States Rub 1 pf	2	8¾	8¾	8½	¼
25¾	12¾	U S Smelt & Ref 1	3	16¾	16¾	16¾	¼
152¾	36	United States Steel 4	‡29555	38¾	37¾	37¾	0
150	94	U S Steel pf 7	7	101½	101¼	101¼	1¾
9¾	1¾	United Stores Corp A	4	1¾	1¾	1¾	¼
52	21	United Stores Corp pf 4	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	
41½	15¾	Universal Leaf Tob 3	3	18	18	18	0
31	7¾	Utilities Pow & Lt A 2k	29	8¾	8¾	8¾	¼
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2	¾	Vadsco Sales	7	¾		¾	0
28	14	Vadsco Sales pf	2	17½	17½	17½	
76¾	11	Vanadium Corp	9	12¾	12¾	12¾	¼
17	2¾	Vir Car Chem 6% pf	1	3½	3½	3½	
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51	1¾	Wabash Railroad pf A		2	2	2	0
37¾	17¾	Waldorf System 1½	3	20	19¾	20	0
15	2	Walworth Co 1	1	2	2	2	0
8½	1¾	Ward Baking B	3	1¾	1½	1¾	¼
20¾	2¾	Warner Bros Pic	‡4239	2¾	2½	2¾	0
7¾	1	Warner Quinlan	6	1¾	1	1¾	¼
46¾	3¾	Warren Bros	2	4¾	4½	4½	0
32	13½	Warren Pipe & Fdy 1.20	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	0
6	¾	Webster Eisenlohr	2	¾		¾	
26¾	12	Wesson Oil & Snow 2	1	13	12¾	12¾	¼
12¾	2	Western Dairy Prod B	6	2½	2½	2½	¼
19¾	5¾	Western Maryland	4	6¾	6¾	6¾	¼
31¾	3	Western Pacific pf	1	4	3¾	3¾	¼
150¾	41	Western Union Tel 6	24	42	41¾	42	¼
36¾	11	Westinghouse A Brake 2	10	14¾	14	14	¼
107¾	26	Westinghouse E&M 2.50	145	26	24¾	25	1¾
40	7¾	Westvaco C Prod 1.60	‡1315	9¾	9½	9¾	
26¾	7¾	White Motor	2	8½	8½	8½	
5	1	White Sewing Mach	6	1	1	1	0
10¾	1	White Sew Mach pf	1	1	1	1	
9¾	2¾	Wilcox Oil & Gas	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	¼
8	1¾	Willys-Overland	‡1315	2¾	2¾	2¾	10
3¾	¾	Wilson & Co	1	¾		¾	
10¾	1¾	Wilson & Co A	2	2	2	2	
51¾	15	Wilson & Co pf	2	20	19½	19½	0
72¾	35	Woolw'th (F W) Co 2.40	52	39¾	38¾	39¾	¼
106¾	15¾	Worthington Pump	4	18	17¾	17¾	¼
80¾	46	Wrigley (W) Jr 4	5	50	50	50	1
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30	8¾	Yale & Towne 1	2	9¾	9¾	9¾	¼
15¾	3	Yellow Tr & Coach	10	3¾	3¾	3¾	¼
29	6¾	Young Spring & Wire 1	3	8	7	7	1
78	12	Youngstown S & Tube	8	13½	13	13	1
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6¾	¾	Zenith Radio	1	¾		¾	0
14	6¾	Zonite Products 1	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	0
		Call Money		3	3	3	0

‡Odd lots. *Ex-dividend. †Ex-rights. a Plus extras. b Including extras. d Partly stock. e Paid in scrip. f Paid last year. h Paid so far this year. j Payable in stock. k Cash or stock. l Payable when earned. o Payable 1-10 of a share in Class A stock quarterly. s Cash and 4% in stock.

Oklahoma Cuts Allowable Oil Production

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Allowable oil production in Oklahoma for the first three months of 1932 was reduced 71,000 barrels to a total of 475,000 barrels daily by the State Corporation Commission.

WHEAT PRICES IRREGULAR

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Grains averaged a little higher early today, influenced by reports that wheat supplies at Liverpool were decreasing. Downturns in securities, however, acted as a check on grain advances. Opening ⅛ off to ⅛-¼ up, wheat afterward held near the initial limits. Corn started unchanged to ⅛ lower and subsequently kept about steady.

Bullish sentiment among wheat traders gained more force in later dealings as the stock market tone improved. Giving aid to the buying side in the wheat pit was talk of prospective smaller production of domestic winter wheat owing to smaller acreage and to low conditions of the plant in a large percentage of the surplus raising sections. On the other hand Argentine and Australian shipments for the week were heavier than either last week or a year ago, and Russian exports continued large, totaling for this week 1,256,000 bushels of wheat and 1,267,000 bushels of rye.

The following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade are reported by A. E. Masten & Co.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yesterday
WHEAT					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dec	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
CORN					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	41¾	41⅞	41¼	41⅝	41¾
Dec	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
OATS					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dec	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
RYE					
May	44¾	45	44¾	45	44¾
LARD					
May	5.70	5.72	5.70	5.72	5.70

Seiberling Predicts 1932 Sales Gain

AKRON, O., Dec. 24.—F. A. Seiberling, president of Seiberling Rubber Company, told stockholders he is predicting a 50 per cent gain in Seiberling sales for 1932 which would mean approximately $12,000,000 for the year.

Mr. Seiberling asserted his belief in the rubber industry being in the van when business revival comes.

COTTON MART TURNS QUIET

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Cotton opened steady today, 3 points up to 1 point off, with March selling at 6.35c. Near months were relatively steady in response to steadier Liverpool cables.

Notices estimated at about 7,500 bales were issued against January contracts, but trade interests were good buyers of that position, while there was also a scattered trade demand for later months which seemed to come partly from Europe and Japan. This absorbed a little southern selling and liquidation, but after a moderately active start the volume of business tapered off and the market was quiet. March later sold off from 6.35c to 6.32c and July from 6.68c to 6.67, with the active months ruling about net unchanged to 3 points higher.

The market continued quiet later with fluctuations narrow. Traders evidently found no fresh inspiration in the day's news and scattering accounts seemed to have previously well evened up for over the holiday. At midday March was selling around 6.34 cents and July 6.69 cents with the active months about 1 to 4 points net higher.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—Cotton—Spot quiet; prices one point higher. Quotations in pence: American strict good middling, 5.85; good middling, 5.45; strict middling, 5.35; middling, 5.30; strict low middling, 5.25; low middling, 5.15; strict good ordinary, 4.95; good ordinary, 4.65. Receipts, 1,000 bales. American nil. Futures closed quiet. December, 4.94; January, 4.88; March, 4.86; May, 4.86; July, 4.88; October, 4.93; December 4.98.

Stock Exchanges To Get Triple Holiday

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The governors of the New York Stock Exchange have voted to close the exchange on Saturday, December 26, granting the request of the members who sought the holiday on the day after Christmas.

The New York Curb and other exchanges throughout the country followed the lead of the New York Stock Exchange and also announced that they would be closed on Saturday.

As this is not a legal holiday, banks and business houses generally will be open on that date.

The Chicago Board of Trade (Grain Pit) will also be closed.

INDIAN COTTON

A considerable reduction in the size of the Indian cotton crop for this season is indicated by the December crop report of the Indian government estimating production at 4,096,000 bales, compared with 4,750,000 bales last year.

Air Travel to Show Gain In Present Year

By GEORGE H. SNYDER

THE COUNTRY HAS NOT been altogether at a standstill during the past year. Some industries have been expanding. Among them has been aviation. It has been a dull time for the organizations making planes and equipment, but the actual volume of air travel has been increasing.

This growth has not been up to the rosy expectations of 1929, when air company financing was going on at an extravagant pace, but it has been substantial enough to indicate that air travel is slowly finding an important place in the business picture. It has shown that confidence has been gradually increasing and that the general public is being sold on the advantages of air travel now that prices have been brought down to a competitive level.

Col. Halsey Dunwoody, vice president of American Airways, Inc., has pointed out that aviation is the one commercial transportation industry that reported an increase in passenger business for the first nine months of 1931 as compared with the same period of 1930. The air transport industry actually showed a 6.5 per cent increase, while trans-Atlantic steamship lines showed a decrease in business of 18.8 per cent on eastbound service and 43.9 per cent on westbound business. The railroads in the same nine-month period showed a decrease of 20.5 per cent in business.

More Lighted Airways

IN THIS COUNTRY today there are 1,900 more miles of lighted airway than there were in January, 1931. There are 55 more intermediate landing fields on established airways, 310 more beacon lights and 16 more federal airways broadcasting stations, according to Col. Dunwoody. This gives us a total of 15,300 miles of lighted airway, 370 intermediate landing fields, 1,680 beacon lights and 51 airways radio stations. It also indicates that we are rapidly approaching the time when all established airways will be equiped for 24-hour service.

The commercial use of air craft has been underway since the end of the war, but its development was irregular and spasmodic until 1928. Since that time year-by-year growth has been steady.

May Carry 475,000 Passengers

THE STARTLING GROWTH of the use of aviation is indicated by a few figures. In 1928, 70,673,350 air miles were flown by all planes. This increased to 225,000,000 in 1930 and the total miles flown this year is expected to reach 500,000,000.

Similar gains are shown in passengers carried. In 1928 there were 49,713. This increased to 385,910 in 1930 and is expected to amount to 475,000 for the present year. Air mail amounted to 1,945,252 pounds in 1928, but jumped to 7,719,898 pounds in 1930 and is expected to reach 9,500,000 pounds this year.

EVENING SUN-TELEGRAPH MARKETS

Stocks Drift | Local Market Narrow

STOCK MARKET KEEPS FAIRLY EVEN KEEL

Easier Tone Develops in Afternoon—Early Gains Reduced or Wiped Out

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Securities markets drifted on a fairly even keel today, while holiday preparations diverted much of Wall street's attention from price levels.

The report of the Young Plan Advisory Committee was generally regarded with satisfaction in banking quarters, but it was regarded as a step of too preliminary a nature to have notable effect upon security markets.

Fluctuations in share prices were confined to extraordinary narrow limits. The market was fairly firm for a time in the morning, but developed an easier tone after midday. Early gains of a point or so in such issues as United States Steel, American Telephone, American Can, American Tobacco B, New York Central and others were largely lost, and a few issues registered small fractional losses. Westinghouse Electric was under some pressure, and sold off about a point.

Railroad Maturities High for Next Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Obligations of class one railroads which will mature next year aggregate $181,082,019, of which $110,782,506 are equipment obligations and $70,299,513 of bonds, the Senate Banking and Currency Sub-Committee was told.

In the first quarter of the new year 128 class one railroads will have to meet maturities of $2,677,550 in bonds, $35,984,395 in loans and bills payable including bank loans and $35,560,820 of equipment obligations.

Auburn Automobile Position Bettered

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The statement of Auburn Automobile Company of August 31, last shows total assets of $23,068,939, against $20,998,639 on August 31, 1930, and total surplus of $7,787,000 compared with $6,108,578 a year previous. Current assets totaled $15,141,784, and current liabilities $2,543,476, against $13,366,773 and $3,107,926, respectively, on August 31, 1930.

Pennsy Holders At Record Total

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The number of Pennsylvania Railroad stockholders this month reached 243,361, the highest total in the 85 years' history of the company. Recently the stock has been selling at the lowest price since it was listed on stock exchanges.

Building Contracts Drop in December

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—F. W. Dodge Corporation reports construction contracts in 37 states east of the Rockies totaled $71,177,200 during the first 15 days of December as compared with the prorated total of $124,718,100 for the like period of 1930.

DIVIDEND NEWS

Electric Products Cuts.

Electric Products Corp. declared a quarterly dividend of 12½ cents a share, placing the stock on a 50 cents annual basis, compared with $1.00 annually previously. The dividend is payable January 1 to record of December 28.

Colonial Trust.

The Colonial Trust Company declared a dividend of $3 a share, payable January 2 to record of December 24.

DIVIDENDS UNCHANGED

	Payable	Record
California Edison [illegible]	Feb 15	Jan 20
[illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 15
[illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 9
[illegible]	Jan 15	Dec 31
[illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 8
[illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 9
[illegible]	Jan 2	Dec 23
National [illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 15
[illegible]	Feb 1	Jan 15
[illegible]	Jan 1	Dec 21
[illegible]	Jan 15	Jan 1

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Foreign exchanges firm. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents. Great Britain demand [illegible]; cables [illegible]; 60-day bills [illegible]. France demand [illegible]; cables [illegible]. Italy demand [illegible]; cables [illegible]. Belgium [illegible]; Germany [illegible]; Holland [illegible]; Norway [illegible]; Sweden [illegible]; Denmark [illegible]; Switzerland [illegible]; Spain [illegible]; Portugal [illegible]; Greece [illegible]; Poland [illegible]; Czechoslovakia [illegible]; Jugoslavia [illegible]; Austria [illegible]; Rumania [illegible]; Argentine [illegible]; Brazil [illegible]; Tokio [illegible]; Shanghai [illegible]; Montreal [illegible]. Mexico City (silver peso) [illegible]. Demand rates are nominal.

Meeting Notices

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Life Insurance Company of America, Corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, will be held in the principal office of the Company, 10th floor, Standard Life Building, corner of Fourth avenue and Smithfield street, City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on Monday, January 25, 1932, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.

ELGIN A. HILL, Secretary.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 21, 1931.

THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, [illegible] Wood street, on Tuesday, January 12, 1932, at 2 O'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve until the next annual meeting as fixed by the by-laws and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

A. D. ROBB, Secretary.

RELIANCE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 18, 1931.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Reliance Life Insurance Company of Pittsburgh will be held at the offices of the company, Farmers Bank Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 25th day of January, 1932, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

H. G. SCOTT, Secretary.

THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before it will be held at the banking house, Wood street and Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, January 12, 1932, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock p. m.

R. H. BEATTY, Cashier.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Following is the list of transactions on the New York Curb Exchange, giving all stocks and bonds traded (00 omitted in sales column of stock list; 000 omitted in sales column of bond list):

STOCKS

Sales		High	Low	2:45
	—A—			
1	Air Inv vtc	½	½	½
2	Do cv pfd	3	3	3
10	Allegh Gas	⅜	⅛	⅛
2	Allied Mills	4⅝	4½	4⅝
*375	Alum Co Am	55	53	53
2	Am Brit&C	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	Am Cap A	⅝	⅝	⅝
4	Am C P&LA	20	20	20
15	Do B	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
12	Am C Pw A	1¼	1	1¼
17	Am Cyan B	3	2⅞	3
1	Am Equit	1¼	1¾	1¾
19	Am&F Pw	4	3¾	3⅞
8	Am Found	¾	¾	¾
5	Am Gas&El	37¾	37	37
9	Am Inv B	1¾	1¾	1¼
3	Am Lt & T	21½	20⅛	20⅛
4	Am Maraca	¼	¼	¼
13	Am Nt Gas	1-16	1-16	1-16
2	AmStaPS A	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
207	Am Sup Po	3⅞	3⅝	3¾
5	Do 1 pr	55	52½	53½
*250	Am Thrd p	3	3	3
4	AmU&GB v	⅜	¼	⅜
7	Appala Gas	⅜	¼	¼
2	Do war	1-16	1-16	1-16
2	Arct Rad T	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
6	ArkNtGs A	2	2	2
*180	Arundel Cp	26½	26½	26½
1	AG&E al cf	10½	10½	10½
23	Do A	4	3⅞	3⅞
6	Do war	⅛	⅛	⅛
2	Aso Laund	⅜	⅜	⅜
2	Atl Lobos	⅛	⅛	⅛
*525	Atl Sec Crp	2½	2½	2½
6	Atlas Util	4⅜	4¼	4⅜
2	AvSecNEng	1½	1½	1½
	—B—			
2	Ben I Loan	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
5	Bliss E W	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
7	Blue Ridge	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
12	Do cvt pf	17	16⅝	17
3	Brazil T&L	9¼	8¾	8¾
2	Brill A	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
2	BufN&EPpf	20⅞	20⅝	20⅝
1	Butler Bros	2	2	2
	—C—			
10	CAM vtc	1-16	1-16	1-16
2	Do pfd	⅛	⅛	⅛
5	Can M Wir	1	⅞	1
2	Carib Syn	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	Carnation	17¼	17¼	17¼
2	Cells 1st pf	29¾	29¾	29¾
3	C Hd G&Ev	20	18	18
11	Cent PS A	1⅝	1½	1½
8	Cent St El	1⅝	1½	1½
3	Chn Str St	5⅞	5¾	5⅞
76	Cities Serv	5½	5¼	5⅜
2	Do pfd	45¾	45½	45½
1	Colum Pict	3¼	3¼	3¼
3	Comw Edis	117	117	117
24	Do rts	1⅜	1¼	1¼
26	Com&So wr	9-16	½	½
3	Cons Cp M	1	1	1
5	Con G&E B	62⅛	62	62⅛
*25	Do pf A	96½	96½	96½
1	Con G Ut A	2	2	2
4	Con The vtc	¼	¼	¼
9	Con Ret St	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
1	Cnt S cvpf	2¼	2¼	2¼
*1297	Do B	1½	1½	1½
10	Cord Cp	7	7	7
2	Corp S Chi	2	2	2
1	Corr & Rey	1	1	1
11	Do pfd A	8	8	8
3	Cosden O p	2⅞	1⅜	2⅞
4	Creole Pete	2	2	2
5	Crown C P	¼	¼	¼
2	Crown Cl A	1¼	1¼	1¼
15	Cuban C w	1-32	1-32	1-32
1	Cust Mex	7-16	7-16	7-16
	—D—			
2	Dan Reeves	17⅞	15⅞	17⅞
10	Dayton Air	⅛	⅛	⅛
6	Deere Co	10¼	10	10
12	De Forest	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1	Detroit Air	⅛	⅛	⅛
*10	Dixon C	69	69	69
1	Dub Con	1¼	1¼	1¼
1	Durant M	¾	¾	¾
	—E—			
22	E S Pwr B	3	2⅛	3
2	East U A cv	3½	3¼	3¼
1	East Util A	⅞	⅞	⅞
2	Eisler Elec	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
295	El Bd & Sh	10⅝	10	10
8	Do pf	56	52	52
8	Do 5 pfd	50	47	47
5	El Pow As	7½	6¾	6¾
3	Do A	6⅞	6⅞	6¾
5	Elec Share	3½	3⅛	3⅛
1	Do pfd	40	40	40
*50	EmG&F 8 p	51¾	51¾	51¾
*50	Do 7 pf	44¾	44¾	44¾
2	Eur El A	2¼	2¼	2¼
10	Do deb rt	¼	¼	¼
2	Evans Wall	⅜	¼	⅜
	—F—			
2	Fed Bake	⅝	⅝	⅝
1	Feder Met	6¼	6¼	6¼
2	Fiat rcts	6	5¾	6
2	Fire AsPhil	6	6	6
*50	Fla P&L 7p	75	75	75
3	Ford Can A	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
8	Ford Ltd	4⅝	4½	4½
1	Fmost Fab	⅛	⅛	⅛
9	Foun For A	2¾	2⅝	2¾
16	Fox The A	⅝	½	⅝
	—G—			
11	Gen Av Cor	3	2⅞	3
1	Gen Silk	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Gn TE cvpf	½	½	½
2	Glen Alden	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
2	Globe Und	4¾	4¾	4¾
3	Gold El El	3-16	3-16	3-16
42	Gold Sachs	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
*100	Goth Inc pf	10	9¾	10
1	Goth Knit	⅝	⅝	⅝
11	Graymur	13½	13	13
*40	Gt A&P nv	147½	145	145
20	Gro Str vtc	1¼	1⅛	1¼
7	Gulf Oil Pa	27⅜	27	27⅛
	—H—			
5	Ham Gas vt	⅞	⅞	⅞
1	Hecla Mine	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
3	Hel Rubins	⅜	⅜	⅜
10	Hir Walker	2⅛	2	2⅛
1	Horn&H pf	27	27	27
10	Hud B M-S	2⅛	2	2⅛
16	Humble Oil	45⅞	45½	45½
1	Huyl8 Dl pf	40	40	40
1	Hy El Sec	5¾	5¾	5¾
1	Hygr Food	3½	3½	3½
	—I—			
*50	Ill P&L$6 p	50¼	50¼	50¼
2	Imp Oil Cn	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
1	Int T Ill A	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
2	Ind Fin ctf	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
18	Insull Util	5⅝	5½	5⅝
10	Insur Sec	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1	Inter Petrol	⅛	⅛	⅛
28	Internt Pet	9	8⅞	9
5	Inter Prod	¾	½	½
	—K—			
10	Kirby Pet	¼	¼	¼
1	Kolst Bran	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
	—L—			
2	Lck Sec	24¾	24¾	23¾
1	Lefct Real	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
4	Do pfd	17	17	17
12	Ln Str Ga	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛
*10	Lg Is Lt pf	94¾	94¾	94¾
29	Ls L & E	¾	9-16	9-16
*25	Do pfd	70	70	70
	—M—			
10	Mag Syn	1-16	1-16	1-16
1	Mapes Cns	35	35	35
2	Ms Utl Aso	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
10	Mav Bot A	⅞	¾	⅞
2	Mead John	47	47	47
1	Mphs Nt Gs	5	5	5
1	Mrcnt Strs	16	16	16
7	Met & Min	½	½	½
1	Met Cn St	3-16	3-16	3-16
7	Md Wst Utl	5¾	5¼	5⅜
8	Mo Kan PL	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
8	Do B vtc	⅛	⅛	⅛
4	Mount Prod	2⅛	2	2
	—N—			
9	Nat Am Co	1	1	1
5	Nat Avia	2⅝	2⅜	2⅜
1	Nat Food B	¼	¼	¼
4	Nat Fuel G	11⅛	11	11
2	Nat Invest	1¾	1¾	1¾
*100	Do pfd	17½	15¼	16
*250	Do 6% pf	63¾	63½	63½
1	Nat Rum M	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
*50	N S Inv pf	34½	34½	34½
2	N S T SecA	1¼	1¼	1¼
1	Nat Sug Rf	23¾	23¾	23¾
1	Nat Trans	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
2	N Bradford	½	½	½
*20	N E Po pfd	51⅜	51⅜	51⅜
3	N J Zinc	21½	21¼	21¼
11	N M & Ariz	⅞	⅞	⅞
9	Newmont M	11½	10¾	10¾
68	Niag H Po	6⅛	6	6⅛
3	Do A war	11-16	⅝	⅝
1	Do B war	2¼	2¼	2¼
17	Niag S Md	2½	2¼	2¼
6	Nipis Mine	1	15-16	15-16
2	Nitrate B	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	Noma Elec	3½	3½	3½
20	Nor Eu Oil	5-16	5-16	5-16
*20	N S P 6s pf	86	86	86
	—O—			
5	Ohio Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Outbd M A	2	2	2
	—P—			
2	PacG&E 1p	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
*450	Pac Tin	2¼	2¼	2¼
4	Pac WestOl	4	3⅞	4
1	Pandem Oil	1-16	1-16	1-16
1	Pantepec Ol	⅜	⅜	⅜
1	Parke Davis	19½	19½	19½
*50	Parker R-P	36½	36½	36½
1	PrenderG A	17	17	17
*10840	Pennroad	2¼	2	2
*50	PaP&L 7 pf	90	90	90
5	Phil Morris	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
11	Phoenix Se	⅜	5-16	5-16
3	PionrG Ltd	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
1	Pitney Bow	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
*50	P & L E	36	36	36
1	Potrero Sug	1	1	1
17	Pruden Inv	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
5	P Ut Hd w	1-16	1-16	1-16
10	Do xw	⅜	⅜	⅜
10	Pyrene	2½	2½	2½
	—R—			
1	Raytheon v	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
5	Reiter Fost	¼	¼	¼
3	Relian Man	1½	1¼	1¼
34	Reybarn In	¾	½	¾
1	R I Pb Sr p	19¾	19¾	19¾
5	Roan A Cp	5½	5½	5½
7	Roosevelt F	1	¾	1
1	Rossia Intl	⅛	⅛	⅛
3	Ryerson	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
	—S—			
14	St Reg Pap	3¼	3⅛	3¼
17	Salt-Cr Prd	3¼	2¾	3¼
6	Seabd Util	1⅛	1	1
6	Sec All nv	5⅞	5½	5⅞
3	Segal Lock	1⅝	1½	1½
7	Select Ind	1	1	1
3	Do al ctf	28	28	28
3	Sent S Con	⅞	⅞	⅞
2	Shenan pfd	8½	8½	8½
*40	Singer Mfg	130½	125	125
*10	Smith A O	41	41	41
7	S Penn Oil	9¾	9⅝	9⅝
10	South Corp	1	1	1
1	South Pipe	7¾	7¾	7¾
15	South Roy	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
4	Span & Gn	⅛	⅛	⅛
*2	SMay St pf	20	18	18
*50	Std Inv pfd	5	5	5
65	Std Oil Ind	14¼	14	14
6	Std Oil Ky	13	12⅞	12⅞
*280	Std Oil Neb	17	16½	17
*50	Std O Ohio	24¼	24¼	24¼
1	Std P&L pf	60	59¾	60
12	Starrett pf	2	1¾	1¾
*50	Stern Bro A	33	33	33
5	Stroock&Co	4½	4½	4½
1	Stutz Mot	10½	10½	10½
4	Sunray Oil	5-16	5-16	5-16
1	SwanFinchO	1¾	1¾	1¾
*1728	Swift & Co	17¼	17⅛	17⅛
1	Swift Int	19¼	19¼	19¼
	—T—			
18	Taggart	1⅞	1⅝	1¾
2	Tampa Elec	25	24¾	24¾
7	Technicolor	1⅝	1½	1½
*25	TennEPlstp	85	85	85
1	Texon Oil	5¾	5¾	5¾
1	Todd Ship	15¾	15¾	15¾
5	Trans Air	2⅛	2	2
1	Trans Lux	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
3	Tri Cont w	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1	Tub Chat B	2¼	2¼	2¼
	—U—			
2	Un Fas Can	4	3⅞	3⅞
4	Union Tob	1-16	1-16	1-16
34	Unit Corp w	3¼	2⅞	2⅞
40	Unit Found	1⅞	1⅝	1¾
21	Unit Gas	1⅞	1¾	1⅞
3	Do war	¾	⅝	⅝
1	Do pfd	48¼	48¼	48¼
22	Un Lt&P A	6⅜	5⅞	6⅛
3	Do cv pf	41	40⅛	40⅛
1	UnitPor R S	5	5	5
3	US&IntSec	¼	¼	¼
14	Do pfd	29	25	29
2	USDa Pr A	60	60	60
5	Do B	7	7	7
7	US Elec Pow	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
1	US Foil B	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
12	Unit Verde	4	3⅞	4
7	Util Equit	2	1⅞	2
*100	Ut P&L pf	40	40	40
12	Util & Ind	2⅛	2	2⅛
	—V—			
10	VenezuelPet	5-16	¼	¼
22	Vick Finan	3⅞	3¾	3¾
	—W—			
*25	WelshGrape	37	37	37
1	†West Pw p	90	90	90
4	W Va C&C	¼	¼	¼
5	Woolworth	7¾	7¾	7¾

DOMESTIC BONDS

Sales		High	Low	2:45
2	Ala Pow 5s 68	90	90	90
5	Do 4½s 67	81½	81½	81½
11	Alumin Co 5s 52	98	97	98
7	Alumin Ltd 5s 48	67	66	66
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

FOREIGN BONDS

Sales		High	Low	2:45
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Actual sales. †Ex-dividend. ‡Ex-rights.

CURB STOCK AND BOND SALES

Following are today's stock and bond sales as reported by the New York Curb Exchange (bonds in dollars, stocks in shares):

Total bond sales noon ... $1,300,000
Total stock sales noon ... 170,000

U. S. TREASURY

December 22

Expenditures	$208,112,725.43
Customs receipts	19,102,866.58
Balance	544,799,215.63

CLEVELAND CLEARINGS

Clearings	$14,827,464.08
Balances	6,136,608.67
Debits	20,103,500.00
Transactions	38,607,500.00

Dividend Notices

THE DIAMOND NATIONAL BANK

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 21, 1931.

DIVIDEND—The Directors of this Bank have declared the regular quarterly dividend of Four Per Cent (4%) on the capital stock, payable January 2, 1932, to stockholders of record December 31, 1931. Checks will be mailed.

M. L. O'BRIEN, Cashier.

WORKINGMAN'S SAVINGS BANK & TRUST CO.

Ohio St. and Madison Ave.

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 4, 1931.

DIVIDEND—The Directors of this bank have declared the regularly quarterly dividend of fifteen (15%) per cent, payable January 2, 1932, to stockholders of record December 26, 1931. Checks will be mailed.

H. W. BRUGGEMAN, Treasurer.

THE COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 24, 1931.

DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of three per cent ($3.00) per share on the capital stock of the company, payable January 2, 1932, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1931. Checks will be mailed.

GEORGE A. YOUNG, Treasurer.

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK.

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 18, 1931.

The Directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of four (4%) per cent on the capital stock payable January 2, 1932, to stockholders of record December 31, 1931. Checks will be mailed.

DURBIN S. KERR, Cashier.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Transactions in the most active bonds on the New York Stock Exchange today were as follows: (000 omitted in sales column. United States bonds in dollars and thirty-seconds of dollars):

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS

Sales		High	Low	Last
21	Lib 3½s 32-47	97.31	97.27	97.29
74	Do 1st 4¼s32-47	99.19	99.14	99.14
389	Do 4th 4¼s33-38	99.22	99.14	99.14
40	Do reg 33-38	99.14	99.13	99.14
182	Treas 4¼s 47-52	100.30	100.16	100.20
121	Do 4s 44-54	99.11	99.8	99.10
49	Do 3¾s 46-56	96.4	96	96
2	Do 3⅜s 43-47	93.28	93.28	93.28
9	Do 3⅜s41-43Mch	93.30	93.28	93.30
19	Do 3⅜s 40-43	[illegible]	87.16	87.17
32	Do 3s 51-55	85.25	85.16	85.24

CORPORATION BONDS

Sales		High	Low	Last
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

FOREIGN BONDS

Sales		High	Low	Last
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Sales $7,142,000; previous day $11,... [illegible]

Forbes

Washington Is Showing Spirit of Co-operation

—By B. C. FORBES—

A FEW DAYS spent in Washington inspired the impression that the majority of legislators realize the urgent importance of hastening constructive legislation.

FINANCIAL BIG-WIGS who have appeared before Senate committees are well satisfied with the treatment accorded them. Only an occasional Senator evinced a hostile attitude towards these witnesses.

Mr. Forbes

Although Messrs. Lamont and Mitchell and Kahn were summoned to supply information concerning the flotation of foreign bonds here, it was very plain that Senators were extremely anxious to obtain these financiers' views on reparations, on cancellation and on the chances of this country continuing to receive war debt payments in coming years.

Each financial magnate when bombarded with questions on these matters tried to sidestep; each explained politely that the reparations problem was one for these Senators and for the government rather than for private citizens to decide. But each was so importuned to give his opinion that finally each succumbed and spoke his mind.

The pith of the testimony of our banking leaders was that there is scant likelihood of Germany continuing for two generations to pay war debts and therefore scant likelihood of the United States being able to continue to collect the prescribed schedule of debt payments.

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Dow-Jones Steel Average Declines

The Dow-Jones average price of eight important iron and steel products, based on Iron Age quotations, declined to a new low for the year during the past week at $42.93 a ton Pittsburgh against $43.19 a ton a week ago. The decline was due to a cut in annealed sheets amounting to $2 a ton.

Big Mexican Bank Reopens Doors

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—Credito Espanol De Mexico, largest Spanish bank in Mexico, has reopened. The bank closed its doors last summer, following enactment of the monetary law. Withdrawals from the bank on the first day of business were reported to be light.

Standard to Resume Activity in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—William Green, vice president and general manager of Huasteca Petroleum Company, Standard Oil of Indiana unit, is quoted as saying the company plans resumption of activities in Mexico on January 1.

Rubber Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Rubber futures opened dull. December [illegible]. [illegible] Spot smoked ribbed [illegible].

Meeting Notices

FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT PITTSBURGH

Northwestern Cor. Fifth Ave. and Wood St.

December 7, 1931.

ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank at Pittsburgh, for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 12, 1932, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m.

[illegible], Vice President and Cashier.

DONORA SOUTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY

OFFICE OF SECRETARY

Rockefeller Building

Cleveland, O., December 21, 1931.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Donora Southern Railroad Company will be held at the office of the company, Frick Building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, January 11, 1932, at [illegible] for the purpose of electing a president and six directors of the company for the ensuing year, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

A. P. PRENTICE, Secretary.

WORKINGMAN'S SAVINGS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Ohio St. and Madison Ave.

Pittsburgh, Pa., December [illegible], 1931.

ELECTION—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the purpose of electing Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting will be held at the banking house, Ohio st. and Madison ave., on Tuesday, January 12, 1932, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

JAMES M. ANDERSON, Secretary.

LOCAL MARKET QUIET AND NARROW

Holiday Dullness Noted In General List; Lone Star Holds Market Lead

Quiet trading marked the week's final session on the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange on the eve of the three-day holiday suspension of business. Prices held steady in all departments. Fuel issues continued to lead the list in point of volume, but the turnover in this group was considerably below the large volume noted a week or so ago.

In the industrial section there were no noticeable changes. Most of the recently active stocks were handled at or near their previous prices and business was confined mainly to evening-up trades for the holiday.

LOCAL STOCKS

Thursday, December 24, 1931.

(Quotations at the Close.)

Stocks	Par	Bid	Ask
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Sales on the Exchange.

	Shares	Price
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

UNLISTED STOCKS

Stocks	Par	Bid	Ask
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

	Shares	Price
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Ex-dividend.

CORPORATE EARNINGS

A. M. Byers Company and [illegible] [illegible]

Cuba Cane Products, Inc., and Eastern Cuba Sugar Corporation [illegible]

Pere Marquette Railway reports November [illegible]

Peerless Motor Car Corporation reports [illegible]

Bank of England.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows [illegible]

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—The market [illegible]

DIED

STEIGNER—[illegible]

Meeting Notices

FREEHOLD BANK

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 12, 1931.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

[illegible] the Freehold Bank [illegible] Pittsburgh, Pa., on the [illegible] day of February, 1932, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. [illegible] corporate rights and franchise of the Freehold Bank.

GEORGE A. YOUNG, Cashier.

[illegible] annual meeting of the [illegible] AMERICAN HARDWARE & SUPPLY COMPANY [illegible] Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, January 25, 1932, at 1:30 p. m.

W. W. JACOB, Secretary.

THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PITTSBURGH, PA.

December 19, 1931.

The Board of Directors of this bank has declared the regular quarterly dividend of [illegible] per cent on the capital stock, payable January 2, 1932, to stockholders of record at the close of business December [illegible], 1931. Checks will be mailed.

R. H. BEATTY, Cashier.

Pittsburgh, Pa., December 21, 1931.

MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the KEYSTONE STATE BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION will be held at the offices of the association, 533 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, January 25th, 1932, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before it.

CHAS. WILCOX, Secretary.

CHRISTMAS ON RADIO :-: Ownership of WWSW Changes Jan. 1 :-: METROPOLITAN ON AIR

Thursday, Dec. 24

6:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Empire Room Orchestra.
KDKA—Who's News Today. Dispatch Success Interview With Joseph Rosenstein.
WJAS—Recordings.
WWSW—Music With Your Meal.

6:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Empire Room (cont'd).
KDKA—Apex Travelers Directed by Zoel Parenteau.
WJAS—Recordings (cont'd).
WWSW—Your Meal (cont'd).

6:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—The Globe Trotter.
KDKA—Travelers (cont'd).
WJAS—Weather. Grace Wollmer, pianist. Harold Dodds, violinist.
WWSW—Emperors of Harmony.

6:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Stebbins Boys.
KDKA—Lowell Thomas.
WJAS—Entertainment.
WWSW—Children's Corner.

7:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Lumber Jacks.
KDKA—Amos 'n' Andy.
WJAS—Myrt and Marge.
WWSW—Schenley Trio.

7:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Charlotte Shallenberger, soprano. Juda D'Ayne, pianist.
KDKA—Jesters.
WJAS—Bing Crosby, baritone.
WWSW—Schenley Trio (cont'd).

7:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Weather; Golden Trail of Melody.
KDKA—Phil Cook.
WJAS—Editing the News.
KQV—Aces of the Air.
WWSW—Behind the Kitchen Door.

7:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—The Goldbergs.
KDKA—Saxophone Trio.
WJAS—Quarter Hour with Morton Downey and Anthony Wons.
KQV—Aces of the Air (cont'd).
WWSW—Weather. Rev. Father James R. Cox.

8:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Mme. Ernestine Schumann Heink, contralto. Guest Artist Rudy Vallee's Orchestra.
KDKA—Dixie Songsters.
WJAS—Colonel Stoopnagle and Budd the Gloom Chasers.
KQV—High School Days, directed by Uncle Henry.
WWSW—Father Cox (cont'd).

8:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Rudy Vallee (cont'd).
KDKA—Rin Tin Thrillers.
WJAS—Abe Lyman's Band and Glee Club.
KQV—High School Days (cont'd).
WWSW—Miss Isabelle.

8:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Rudy Vallee (cont'd).
KDKA—Westinghouse Glee Club.
WJAS—Kate Smith and Her Swanee Music.
KQV—Variety Time.
WWSW—Tommy Tucker's Music.

8:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Rudy Valley (cont'd).
KDKA—Sisters of Skillet.
WJAS—Angelo Patri, "Your Child."
KQV—Lillian Oleon, soprano.
WWSW—Tommy Tuckr (con't).

9:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Dramatic Musicale.
KDKA—Julia Sanderson and Frank Crumit.
WJAS—The Mills Brothers.

We Now Present

By Darrell V. Martin, *Radio Editor*

Merry Christmas!

WE HOPE SINCERELY that your Christmas is joyously beautiful and that every second of the day ticks happiness for you and yours.

IF HAPPINESS alone depended on the radio we know our wish would be fulfilled. "Lighting of the National Christmas Tree in Washington. Mme. Schumann-Heink with Rudy Vallee. the Sistine Choir from Rome ... the ringing of Trinity Chimes in New York actuated by the pressing of a button in Jerusalem and special Christmas Eve parties from local studios are outstanding attractions tonight ... Christmas Day on the ether waves is packed with superb entertainment including ringing of the Riverside Carillon in New York tomorrow morning ... the service at Washington Cathedral ... the Metropolitan Opera broadcasting for the first time in "Hansel and Gretel" ... the Marine Band ... Jessica Dragonette interpreting "Goldilocks and the Three Bears" and the Cavaliers singing "Grandfather's Clock" ... Dennis King ... Reginald Werrenrath and the Intercollegiate Ball at midnight from the William Penn Hotel spotting four stellar dance bands—**Husk O'Hare, McKinney Cottonpickers, Penn State Varsity Ten and Billy Weixel** ... Radio has gone the limit to make your Christmas merry!

Darrell V. Martin

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Question a Day:

Daddy reeds you news most every day and he says what you say is most times rite. Brother and I wonder if there is a Santa Claus. Is there?—Dot Harris, Ben Avon, Pa.

Answer—Of course, Dot! Why we talked with him yesterday and he mentioned something about visiting your house tonight. Santa is a jolly good fellow.

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Studio Lights

Our suggestion of synchronizing an orchestra and a singer in different parts of the country presented to John Royal of NBC a few months ago has been deemed feasible and is to be tried New Year's afternoon at 3 o'clock on KDKA with Bebe Daniels singing in Hollywood to accompaniment played by Paul Whiteman's Orchestra in Chicago ... each principal is to wear a headset in the studios ... this will enable them to co-ordinate voice and orchestra perfectly although separated by hundreds of miles.

WWSW undergoes a slight change in ownership New Year's Day ... the Radio Commission has authorized the voluntary assignment of the WWSW license from William S. Walker to the Walker & Downing Radio Corporation ...

Leaving us soon ... Musical Dominoes, Magazine Hour, Radio Impersonations, Musical Express, Jolly Time Popcorn Revue ...

The Billy Joy who sings with Seymour Simones from Detroit tonight at 10 on the Lucky Strike Hour is the same Billy of WTAM and WJAS.

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Today's Tid Bit:

A letter from Uniontown, Pa. addressed: **"Hello—Sport Fans on the Air,"** was delivered to Bill Parren, sports announcer at KDKA yesterday. His well-known salutation on the air was sufficient identification for the post-office.

"Okay, Baby"

Baby Won't You Please Come Home
Blues in My Heart
Okay, Baby
Jig Time

KQV—Jimmy Zummo's Orchestra.
WWSW—Walter and Ed.

9:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Dramatic Musicale (cont'd).
KDKA—Crumit (cont'd).
WJAS—Ruth and Ralph, piano.
KQV—Jimmy Zummo (cont'd).
WWSW—Aeronautical Interviews.

9:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Sistine Choir International broadcast from Rome.

"Adeste Fideles"

Tues Sanctificatus
O Magnum Mysterium
Adeste Fideles
Cantate Domino
Ave Maria
Laudate

KDKA—Lanny Ross, tenor; Don Voorhees' Orchestra; the Songsmiths, male quartet; Randolph Weyant and Scrappy Lambert, tenors; Leonard Stokes, baritone; Bob Moody, basso; Ken Christy, accompanist.
WJAS—Love Story Drama.
KQV—Weather; KQV Players.

"The Falcon," Part 2

WWSW—Weather; Studio Program.

9:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Sistine Choir (cont'd).
KDKA—Don Voorhees (cont'd).
WJAS—Love Story (cont'd).
KQV—Players (cont'd).
WWSW—Frank Saveker, baritone.

10:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Seymour Simons' Orchestra from Detroit; Emerson Gill's Orchestra from Cleveland; Herb Gordon's Orchestra from Washington.

Walter Winchell

Billy Joy, guest soloist with Seymour Simons.

KDKA—Dance Gypsies, Harry Horlick, director; Frank Parker, soloist.
WJAS—The Trumpeteers, with Edwin C. Hill; Victor Young's Orchestra.
KQV—Silent until midnight.
WWSW—Jack Baird and his Jesters of Rhythm.

10:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Dance Hour (cont'd).
KDKA—Gypsies (cont'd).
WJAS—Trumpeteers (cont'd).
WWSW—Jack Baird (cont'd).

10:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Dance Hour (cont'd).
KDKA—Clara, Lu and Em, Household Sketch.
WJAS—Play, "The Fourth Wise Man."
WWSW—Tommy Tucker's Orchestra.

10:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Dance Hour (cont'd).
KDKA—Paris Night Life.
WJAS—Grand Opera (cont'd).
WWSW—Tommy Tucker (cont'd).

11:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Sun-Telegraph Nite Club, Jack Keough, master of ceremonies.
KDKA—Sport Review; Weather.
WJAS—Christmas Party.

Joe Palvo's 14 Piece Orchestra; Galbraith Sisters; George Lyle, baritone; Novelty Trio; Budgeteers; Jim Hughes, master of ceremonies.

WWSW—Tommy Tucker (cont'd).

11:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Nite Club (cont'd).
KDKA—Christmas Services and Messages to Explorers.
WJAS—Christmas Party (cont'd).
WWSW—Tommy Tucker (cont'd).

11:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Nite Club (cont'd).
KDKA—Christmas Service (cont'd).
WJAS—Christmas Party (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

11:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Nite Club (cont'd).
KDKA—Paris Night Life.
WJAS—Christmas Party (cont'd).
WWSW—First Baptist Church.

12:00 Midnight
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—WCAE Christmas Party.

Merry Christmas!

Kay Ricketts, violinist; Juda D'Ayne, pianist; Alyce Martin, cellist; Kathryn Trnavsky, soprano; Ollie Lambor, contralto; Paul Gannon, tenor; Ray Griffin, bass.

KDKA—Signal from Bethlehem Ringing Trinity Chimes; Messages to Explorers (cont'd).
WJAS—Carol Service.
KQV—Weber-Walker Orchestra.
WWSW—First Baptist Church.

12:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Christmas Party (cont'd).
KDKA—Good Night.
KQV—Weber-Walker (cont'd).
WWSW—Good Night.
KQV—Freddy Carlone's Orchestra.

1:00 A. M.
WJAS—Good Night.
KQV—Good Night.

Christmas Day

7:00 A. M.
KDKA—Jack and Jerry Foy, Hill Billies.

7:15 A. M.
KDKA—Morning Parade.

7:30 A. M.
KDKA—Jean and Her Dad.
WJAS—Early Risers.

7:45 A. M.
KDKA—Weather; News Items.
WJAS—Your Farm Reporter, Pitfalls in English.

8:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Gene and Glenn.
KDKA—Salt and Peanuts.
WJAS—Morning Melody.

8:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Morning Devotions.
KDKA—Christening Christmas Aerials.
WJAS—Salon Musicale.

8:30 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Cheerio.
KDKA—Aerials (cont'd).
WJAS—Salon Musicale (cont'd).

8:45 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Cheerio (cont'd).
KDKA—Aerials (cont'd).
WJAS—Irene Beasley, Songs.

9:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Weather; Yule Melodies.
KDKA—Georgia Wildcats.
WJAS—Madison Singers.
WWSW—Lest We Forget.

9:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Christmas Extravaganza.
KDKA—Lady Next Door.
WJAS—Madison Singers (cont'd).
WWSW—Lest We Forget (cont'd).

9:30 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Extravaganza (cont'd).
KDKA—Beautiful Thoughts.
WJAS—Weather; Daily Features.
KQV—Morning Musicale.
WWSW—Home, Sweet Home.

9:45 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Our Daily Food—Col. Goodbody.
KDKA—Helping Santa.
WJAS—Sally Stokely.
KQV—Musicale (cont'd).
WWSW—Sweet Home (cont'd).

10:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Mrs. Blake's Radio Column.
KDKA—Ray Perkins, "Prince of Pineapple."
WJAS—Grant, Graham and Coughlin.
KQV—Chuck and Ray.
WWSW—Helen's Hi-Lights.

10:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Children's Fairy Tales.
KDKA—Musical Group; Morning Melodies.
WJAS—St. Patrick's Church.
KQV—The Blues Chasers—Jack, Tony and Pete.
WWSW—Hi-Lights (cont'd).

10:30 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Claire Dux, soprano.
KDKA—Our Daily Food—Col. Goodbody.
WJAS—St. Patrick's (cont'd).
KQV—Blues Chasers (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

10:45 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Up the Chimney—May and Peter De Rose.
KDKA—Riverside Church Carillon.
WJAS—Don and Betty.
KQV—Blues Chasers (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

11:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Children of Bethlehem.
KDKA—Shadyside Presbyterian Church Services.
WJAS—German Leider, Charlotte Harriman.
KQV—Blues Chasers (cont'd).
WWSW—Column of the Air.

11:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Children (cont'd).
KDKA—Shadyside Church (cont'd).
WJAS—Blue Moonlight.
KQV—Weather; Home and Style.
WWSW—Column of Air (cont'd).

11:30 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Bethlehem (cont'd).
KDKA—Shadyside Church (cont'd).
WJAS—Christmas Day Service from Washington Cathedral.
KQV—Home Style (cont'd).
WWSW—Who's Who.

11:45 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Bethlehem (cont'd).
KDKA—Shadyside Church (cont'd).
WJAS—Cathedral Service (cont'd).
KQV—Blues Singer.
WWSW—Who's Who (cont'd).

12:00 Noon.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Grace Ellis, hostess; Theodore Webb, baritone; Eddie Dunham, organist.
KDKA—Betty and Babs.
WJAS—Cathedral Service (cont'd).
KQV—Polish Christmas.
WWSW—Weather; Studio Program.

12:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Babes in Toyland.
KDKA—Christmas with the Pickards.
WJAS—Cathedral Service (cont'd).
KQV—Polish Christmas (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

12:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Babes in Toyland (cont'd).
KDKA—Christmas Bells.
WJAS—Weather; Columbia Revue.
KQV—Polish Christmas (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

12:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Weather; Missing Persons.
KDKA—Christmas Bells (cont'd).
WJAS—Recordings.
KQV—Polish Christmas (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

1:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Noon Novelties.
KDKA—Farm and Home Hour.
WJAS—Varieties.
KQV—Silent until 2:00.
WWSW—Mario and Harry.

1:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Novelties (cont'd).
KDKA—Farm Hour (cont'd).
WJAS—Recordings (cont'd).
WWSW—Mario and Harry (cont'd).

1:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Eva Jesseys Choir.
KDKA—The First Christmas.
WJAS—Rity Carlton's Orchestra.
WWSW—Silent until 3:00.

1:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—"Hansel and Gretel" from stage of Metropolitan Opera.
KDKA—First Christmas (cont'd).
WJAS—Ritz Carlton (cont'd).

2:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—German Quartet.
WJAS—The Funny Boners.
KQV—D. Hays Jacobs, baritone.

2:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—Rita Cavaliery, Spanish Soprano.
WJAS—Columbia Artist Recital.
KQV—Ambrose Curran, violinist.

2:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—Western Penitentiary Band.
WJAS—Ann Leaf, Organist.
KQV—The Dream Lover.

2:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—Penitentiary Band (cont'd).
WJAS—Ann Leaf (cont'd).
KQV—Dream Lover (cont'd).

3:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—KDKA Orchestra, directed by Zoel Parenteau; Robert Bodycombe, boy soprano.
WJAS—U. S. Marine Band.
KQV—Bob Jones Hour.
WWSW—Good Afternoon.

3:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—Orchestra (cont'd).
WJAS—Marine Band (cont'd).
KQV—Bob Jones (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

3:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Hansel-Gretel (cont'd).
KDKA—Orchestra (cont'd).
WJAS—Arthur Jarrett, songs.
KQV—Matinee Club.
WWSW—Marcinowski Program.

3:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Balkan Mountain Men.
KDKA—Aladdin Pantomine.
WJAS—Columbia Educational Features.
KQV—Matinee Club (cont'd).
WWSW—Marcinowski (cont'd).

4:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Mountain Men (cont'd).
KDKA—Ellsworth Giles—Vocal Ensemble.
WJAS—Light Opera Gems.
KQV—Radio Rascals—Uncle Henry.
WWSW—News Flashes.

4:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—John Coats, vocalist.
KDKA—Vocal Ensemble (cont'd).

At Ball

HUSK O'HARE

Four orchestras playing at the intercollegiate ball Christmas Night in William Penn Hotel will be broadcast by WCAE from midnight until 2 o'clock the next morning. Husk O'Hare, McKinney Cottonpickers, the Penn State Varsity Ten and Billy Weixel will supply the entertainment.

WJAS—Opera Gems (cont'd).
KQV—Radio Rascals (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

4:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—John Coates (cont'd).
KDKA—Johnny Muskrat: Creative Youth—Henry Fox.
WJAS—Edna Thomas.
KQV—Dick and Ray.
WWSW—Care of the Teeth.

4:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Yuletide Dance.
KDKA—Henry Fox (cont'd).
WJAS—Hotel Taft Orchestra.
KQV—Billy Baxter.
WWSW—Studio Program.

5:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Children's Hour.
KDKA—Sara Quisenberry, soprano.
WJAS—Orchestra (cont'd).
KQV—Twilight Reveries.
WWSW—Studio Program.

5:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Children's Hour (cont'd).
KDKA—Kiddies Klub, C. A. Wakeman.
WJAS—Orchestra (cont'd).
KQV—Reveries (cont'd).
WWSW—Book Man: Items of Interest.

5:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Twilight Tunes.
KDKA—Kiddies' Klub (cont'd).
WJAS—Uncle Ollie and His Gang.
KQV—Silent until 7:30 p. m.
WWSW—Items (cont'd).

5:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Russ Colombo and His Orchestra.
KDKA—Weather; Sport Review.
WJAS—Wrigley Indians.
WWSW—Good Furniture.

6:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Empire Room Orchestra.
KDKA—Who's News Today, Dispatch Success Interview with Santa Claus.
WJAS—Recordings.
WWSW—Music With Your Meal.

6:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Empire Room (cont'd).
KDKA—Velveteers, directed by Zoel Parenteau.
WJAS—Recordings (cont'd).
WWSW—Your Meal (cont'd).

6:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Three Mustachios.
KDKA—Velveteers (cont'd).
WJAS—John Kelvin, Irish Tenor.
WWSW—Going Places.

6:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Stebbins Boys.
KDKA—Lowell Thomas.
WJAS—Melody Budgeteers — Joe Palvo, Luke Riley and Russell Smith.
WWSW—Children's Corner.

7:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—"American Weekly" Revue—Jack Keough.
KDKA—Amos 'n' Andy.
WJAS—Myrt and Marge.
WWSW—Schenley Trio.

7:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Lawson Sisters; Marie Moss, pianist.
KDKA—String Choir directed by Zoel Parenteau.
WJAS—Bing Crosby, baritone.

"Life Bowl of Cherries"

When It's Sleepy Time Down South
Life Is Just a Bowl of Cherries
One Little Quarrel
Orchestra
Can't We Be Friends

WWSW—Schenley Trio (cont'd).

7:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Weather; Teddy Black's Orchestra.
KDKA—Phil Cook.
WJAS—Studio Program.
KQV—Watchtower Program.
WWSW—Behind the Kitchen Door.

7:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegrajh—The Goldbergs.
KDKA—"Believe It Or Not," by Ripley.
WJAS—Quarter Hour with Morton Downey and Anthony Wons.

Solo, "Home"

Where Is My Wandering Boy Tonight — Morton Downey
There's a Long, Long Trail — Orchestra
Home — Morton Downey
Minuet — Orchestra
A Perfect Day — Morton Downey

KQV—Watchtower (cont'd).
WWSW—Weather; Syncopating Sisters.

8:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegrajh—Jessica Dragonette, soprano; Leo O'Rourke, tenor; The Cavaliers; orchestra directed by Rosario Bourdon.

"Goldilocks"

The Candy Parade — Orchestra
Grandfather's Clock — Cavaliers
Over the Hills and Far Away — Orchestra
O Holy Night — Jessica Dragonette
Huckleberry Finn from "Mississippi Suite" — Orchestra
John Peel — Elliott Shaw
Goldilocks and the Three Bears — Jessica Dragonette, Cavaliers
A Children's Overture — Orchestra
Babes in the Wood — Soprano and tenor duet
In a Toy Shop — Orchestra
Hymns of the Old Church Choir — Cavaliers
The Parade of the Wooden Soldiers — Orchestra
Soprano solo, Darling, Nights of Gladness — Orchestra
Toyland Medley from "Babes in Toyland" — Jessica Dragonette, Cavaliers

KDKA—Jack Whiting, musical comedy star, guest artist; Leonard Joy's Orchestra.

"My Imaginations"

Getting Sentimental
My Imaginations from "Americana"
Who's Your Little Whoozis?
Little Lady Next Door
I'm Just Wild About Harry
You're My Everything
She's So Nice

WJAS—The Columbians.
KQV—Watchtower (cont'd).
WWSW—Amadeo Borelli, violinist; Fausta Marcelli, accompanist.

8:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Jessica Dragonette (cont'd).
KDKA—Leonard Joy (cont'd).
WJAS—Singing Sam.
KQV—Watchtower (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

8:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Jessica Dragonette (cont'd).
KDKA—Alta Shultz, contralto; Elizabeth Storer, pianist.
WJAS—News Drama.
KQV—Bide Dudley's Column of the Air; Studio Presentation.
WWSW—Tommy Tucker's Orchestra.

8:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Jessica Dragonette (cont'd).
KDKA—Sisters of Skillet.
WJAS—News Drama (cont'd).
KQV—Studio Program.
WWSW—Tommy Tucker (cont'd).

9:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Eskimo Night Club.

"The Rhyming Song"

Freddy the Freshman
I Found You
Twelfth Street Rag Medley
I May Be Wrong, from Almanac
Thinking of You
Doin' the New York
Who's Your Little Who-Zis
The Rhyming Song
Under the Mistletoe

KDKA—Jones and Hare.

"Bells of St. Mary's"

Special Christmas Opening — Billy Jones and Ernie Hare
Jingle Bells Means Wedding Bells in June — Billy Jones and Ernie Hare
March of the Toys, Babes in Toyland
Under the Mistletoe
Candy — Orchestra
Santa Claus, That's Me — Ernie Hare
The Rhyming Song — Billy Jones and Ernie Hare
Carolina's Calling Me — Billy Jones and Ernie Hare
Bells of St. Mary's — Orchestra
What Did Eve Give Adam for Christmas? — Billy Jones
We're Gonna Have a Happy New Year — Orchestra with Vocal Chorus

WJAS—Columbia Entertainment.
KQV—Varaissa Payne, soprano.
WWSW—Country Store.

9:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Eskimos (cont'd).
KDKA—Jones-Hare (cont'd).
WJAS—Magazine Hour.
KQV—Smile Sarnoff, tenor.
WWSW—Jean and Jack.

9:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Leo Reisman's Orchestra; Dennis King, guest artist.

"Green Eyed Dragon"

My Bluebird Is Back Again
You Too, from "Two Hearts in ¾ time"
Mandalay
Polka, from opera "Schwanda"
Loveless Love
When I'm Looking at You — Dennis King
Concentratin' on You
The Green Eyed Dragon — Dennis King
You're My Everything

KDKA—Edna Kellogg, soprano; Male Quartet; Orchestra direction Roy Shields.

"Toymaker's Dream"

Hail to Christmas
Toyland, from "Babes in Toyland"
March of the Toys
Under the Mistletoe
The Toymaker's Dream
Woman in the Shoe
Calm as the Night
Winter Song
Troika
Sleepytown Express
Mother Goose Parade

WJAS—Magazine (cont'd).
KQV—Weather; Don Shoup's Orchestra.
WWSW—Pelles Trio.

9:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Leo Reisman (cont'd).
KDKA—Roy Shields (cont'd).
WJAS—Casey Jones and Freddie Rich's Orchestra.

"All of Me"

Put the Sun Back in the Sky
Honest, Really, Truly
All of Me
Casey Jones
Alabamy Bound

KQV—Don Shoup (cont'd).
WWSW—Margaret Savage.

10:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Artist Service Hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Nellie Revell, radio commentator; concert orchestra direction Cesare Sodero.

"Smilin' Through"

Csardas, from "Coppelia Ballet" — Delibes — Orchestra
Gypsy John (Key E Minor) — Clay
Smilin' Through (Key D) — Penn
Nazareth (Key E Flat) — Gounod — Reinald Werrenrath
Chant Sans Paroles (Song without words) — Orchestra
Beauty's Eyes (Key E Flat) — Tosti
Trade Winds (Key E Flat) — Keel
Mandalay (Key C Minor) — Speaks — Reinald Werrenrath
From the "Xmas Tree" Suite — Rebikov
March of the Gnomes
Dance of the Clowns — Orchestra

KDKA—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra; Mildred Bailey, blues singer; Jack Fulton, Jr., tenor; King's Jesters, Vocal Trio.
WJAS—Toscha Seidel, violinist; Theo Karle, tenor; Sam Lanin's Orchestra.

"Love's Old Sweet Song"

Lady of the Evening, from "Music Box Revue" — Orchestra
Hills of Home — Fox — Theo Karle
Gypsy Love Song, from "Fortune Teller" — Orchestra
Traumerei — Schumann — Toscha Seidel
Medley: Make Believe (Show Boat); Here in My Arms (Dearest Enemy); Say It With Music (Music Box Revue) — Orchestra
Love's Old Sweet Song — Theo Karle
Tambourin Chinois — Kreisler — Toscha Seidel
A Perfect Day — Orchestra (Vocal by Theo Karle)

KQV—Silent until midnight.
WWSW—Ernest Neff, pianist.

10:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Artists' Service (cont'd).
KDKA—Paul Whiteman (cont'd).
WJAS—Sam Lanin (cont'd).
WWSW—Studio Program.

10:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Theater of the Air.

Lillian Roth

Lillian Roth, Tamara, Bill Robinson; orchestra direction Milton Schwarzwald. Southbound.

KDKA—Clara, Lu and Em, Household Sketch.
WJAS—Round Towners, with Irene Beasley.

"O. K., Colonel"

Orchestra

WWSW—Good Night.

10:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Air Theater (cont'd).
KDKA—Waves of Melody.
WJAS—Nevin Ensemble.

11:00 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Riggs and Moke, the Crazy Pair.
KDKA—Sport Review; Weather.
WJAS—Good Night.

11:15 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Sun-Telegraph Nite Club—Jack Keough, Master of Ceremonies.
KDKA—Salt and Peanuts.

11:30 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Nite Club (cont'd).
KDKA—Don Bestor and His Orchestra.

"It's Always Rainin' on Me"

It's Great to Be in Love (Vandies)
Ever Stay Way from My Door
Fish
It's Always Raining on Me (Bestor's Own Tune)
Hello, My Lover, Good-Bye
Make Believe (Show Boat)
Hiding in the Shadows of the Moon
Business in F

11:45 P. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Nite Club (cont'd).
KDKA—Don Bestor (cont'd).

12:00 Midnight
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Intercollegiate Ball, William Penn Hotel.

Four Stellar Bands

Husk O'Hare's Orchestra, McKinney's Cotton Pickers, Penn State Varsity Ten and Billy Weixel's Orchestra.

KDKA—Charles Olcott, "Radio's Funniest Man."
KQV—Freddy Carlone's Orchestra.

12:15 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Intercollegiate Ball (cont'd).
KDKA—Good Night.
KQV—Freddy Carlone (cont'd).

12:30 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Intercollegiate Ball (cont'd).
KQV—Don Shoup's Orchestra.

1:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Intercollegiate Ball (cont'd).
KQV—Good Night.

2:00 A. M.
WCAE, Sun-Telegraph—Good Night.

CHRISTMAS DAY BEST BETS

MORNING

9:15—WCAE—Extravaganza.
10:45—WC[AE—T]he Caimnes.
KDKA—Carillon of Riverside Church.
11:30—WJAS—Service from Washington Cathedral.

AFTERNOON

12:15—WCAE—Toyland.
KDKA—The Pickards.
1:30—KDKA—Drama, "The First Christmas."
1:45—WCAE — Metropolitan Opera, "Hansel and Gretel," from stage.
2:30—KDKA—Band Concert, Western Penitentiary.
WJAS—Ann Leaf.
3:00—WJAS—Marine Band.
4:45—WCAE—Yule Dance.
5:45—WJAS—Indians.
6:15—KDKA—Velveteers.
7:00—WCAE—Weekly Revue.
7:15—WCAE—The Lawsons.
8:00—WCAE—Jessica Dragonette, The Cavaliers.
KDKA—Jack Whiting, Leonard Joy Music.
8:30—KDKA—Alta Shultz.
WJAS—News Drama.
9:00—KDKA—Farewell of Jones and Hare.
9:30—WCAE—Dennis King.
10:00—WCAE—Reinald Werrenrath, baritone.
10:30—WCAE—Air Theater.
WJAS—Irene Beasley.
11:00—WCAE—Sun-Telegraph Night Club of the Air.
12:00—WCAE—Husk O'Hare, Cottonpickers from Intercollegiate Ball.

Full Night Schedule Approved for KQV

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Roast Prime Ribs of Beef au Jus
French Lamb Chops
Hot Sea Food Platter (Oysters, Scallops, Shrimps, Filet of Sole) with Tartar Sauce
Fresh Vegetable Plate with Poached Egg
Mashed Turnips — Creamed Onions
String Beans — Harvard Beets — Spinach
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Baked Idaho Potato
Assorted Muffins
Hearts of Lettuce or Endive Salad (Served with French or Russian Dressing)
Plum Pudding with Brandied Sauce
Mince or Pumpkin Custard Pie with Cheese — Chocolate Pecan Sundae
Fruit Cake with Apple Sauce
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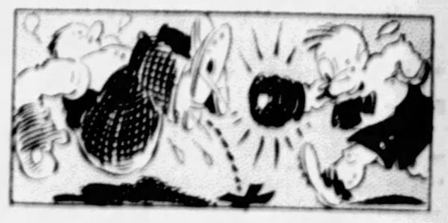


PANTHERS CHANGE TACTICS

Sport Comment

By JAMES J. LONG

Tiger Midway in Doubt. • Renaissance Coming.
Brothers Offer Promise. Negro Baseball League.
Higbe Not Yet Pirate. Jewish Boxers Dwindle.

ENS RATES GEHRINGER AMONG GREATS

IN ALL THE off-season size-ups of the Detroit baseball club and its prospects for next year, the real point on which the future of the team depends is being overlooked, in the opinion of Jewel Ens, who is to be coach of the Tigers and assistant to Manager Bucky Harris. The former skipper of the Pirates, who is spending the winter in Pittsburgh, expresses the belief that the condition of Second Baseman Charley Gehringer is the factor that will determine the fate of the Jungaleers.

Charley Gehringer

Until last season Gehringer has not missed a game in three years. But an injury to this throwing arm kept him out of commission for such a length of time in 1931 that he took part in only 101 contests, and often merely as a pinch-hitter, while his batting average dropped to .311, his lowest mark since 1926. The loss of his services took a lot out of the Detroit club, and Ens thinks his probable form for next season is the thing to be figured in estimating the possibilities of the Tigers.

"GEHRINGER HAS NEVER been given the rating he merits among the stars of the country," Jewel said. "I had plenty of opportunities to watch his work in the Pirates' exhibition games with the Tigers and at other times, and I have no hesitation in pronouncing him one of the greatest ballplayers I ever saw.

"He's a tremendous force on a club in every way—a great hitter, a brilliant fielder, a fine baserunner, a smart, smooth workman and a fighter. The presence or absence of such a player might easily make or break any team, and I am confident that if he is back in shape next year, as reports indicate he will be, the Detroit club will have nothing to worry about."

A BETTER THAN average prospect success is seen by baseball men for the new pair of brothers coming to the National League next season—Fritz Knothe, a third baseman, bought by the Braves from Seattle, and George, a shortstop, drafted by the Phillies from New Orleans.

Manager Bill McKechnie continues to receive reports that make him confident Fritz will come through for Boston, and George Susce, local catcher, who played with Fritz's brother in the minors, says the young shortstop has all the earmarks of a successful big leaguer.

PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT the Pittsburgh club had signed Kirbe Higbe, 16-year-old pitcher of the Columbia (S. C.) American Legion junior team, and would take him on the spring training trip, were at least a year ahead of time. Higbe will be a Pirate sometime if he has the right stuff, but that day is far distant. Instead of being added to the Buccaneer roster, the youngster has been signed by the Wichita club, of the Western League, the Pirate farm, and it is to that outfit he will report in the spring.

IN SIGNING TO coach Manhattan College, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Law, Chick Meehan went contrary to the dope which had linked him with a Big Ten job, but it was not surprising to see him catch on somewhere in football quickly.

Chick Meehan

For Meehan was recognized as being too good a coach, too clever a showman, to remain out of a position for long. He is likely to continue at Manhattan the progress started by Law. Manhattan has not been playing a heavy schedule, except for a game with Colgate, but there is promise that under Meehan's guidance football there will gradually be lifted a higher plane.

ONE OF THE biggest attractions of the local basketball season has been booked for Friday night, January 8, when the Renaissance stars of New York, world Negro champions for six years, will appear here in a game with Y. M. H. A. Cum Posey, recently elected a member of the Homestead Board of Education, by the way—who is bringing the Harlem passers to Pittsburgh, plans to show them here again in February in a tilt with the Rosenblum Celtics, of Cleveland.

This means two chances for the fans of this district to see the sensational Negro quintet. Renaissance has defeated the Celtics twice this season and tied them once. They are to meet again in Cleveland January 9 and 10.

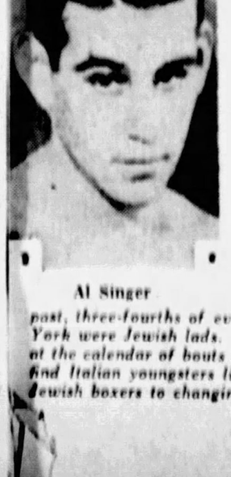
RENAISSANCE, ONE OF the really great pro teams of all time, has averaged more than 100 wins per season for six years, having piled up 609 victories against only 117 defeats. The Harlem stars have traveled all over the country, defeating the original Celtics, Rosenblums, Visitation Triangles, Chicago, Fort Wayne, and Rochester. The class of the team is Fats Jenkins, rated by New York critics the fastest man in basketball. In the lineup also is Pappy Ricks, formerly of the Loendi team, of this city, a remarkable shot, who has averaged 15.6 points per game for 250 contests. Last season Renaissance played 136 games and lost only 22.

POSEY, WHO MANAGES the Homestead Grays and is one of the most enterprising and progressive sport promoters in the business, is also hopeful of seeing in 1932 the consummation of a plan on which he has been working for a long time—the formation of a national Negro baseball league to embrace the East and West from New York to Chicago.

Cum has a good baseball man in the East and another in the West working with him, and they have already lined up Pittsburgh, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cleveland, Detroit and Chicago, with Washington a possibility as the eighth club. A schedule of 112 or 126 games is planned. It is expected that the organization will be completed at a meeting to be held in January.

THE BIG BOXING centers as well as the small ones suffer when there is a scarcity of local talent. That's the cause of the fight game's present slump in New York, in the opinion of Johnny Attell, manager of the Ridgewood Grove Sporting Club there.

Glove fans in New York, as in Pittsburgh and elsewhere, like to see home boys in action, and when home boys are missing the attendance falls off. Attell says 1930 and 1931 were the first years since the Walker law went into effect in which New York did not have youngsters coming along who would pack them in at the neighborhood clubs.



Al Singer

IS BOXING LOSING its lure for Jewish boys? Attell thinks so. He says there has been a steady falling off in Jewish representation in the ring game, whereas the percentage of Italian fighters is on the increase, and he fears the failure of Al Singer's attempted comeback will cause the decline to continue. "The decrease in home talent around New York is especially true of Jewish boys," he says. "Since Benny Leonard was lightweight champion, New York was never, until recently, without a Terris, a Goldstein, a Singer, or somebody like Benny. But the Jewish boys appear to have forsaken boxing. In the past, three-fourths of every amateur glove team representing New York were Jewish lads. Today you may find one in 10. Look at the calendar of bouts scheduled at the various clubs. You will find Italian youngsters listed in the main. I lay the decrease in Jewish boxers to changing generations."

JAGNOW SCORES 15 POINTS TO LEAD SKIBOS

By JESS CARVER

Carnegie Tech defeated Yale in basketball last night in the Tartan gym before a right nifty turnout as easy as falling off a log, and according to those who have indulged in log-falling, nothing is easier. The score of the game was 42 to 32.

The Tartans, even though their passing was not all it should have been, outclassed the Elis from A to Z and back again. The boys were faster, more clever and appeared to be better coached. They hopped away to a 7-1 lead almost in the time it takes to tell it, and maintained a healthy advantage throughout.

Yale employed a zone defense, which might have been o. k. had the Yales been capable of handling the Tartan ball handlers. But time after time, Carnegie slipped men free under the hoop and worked the ball into position for easy shots from beneath the basket. Had the Skibo marksmen been half way on, they'd have won by a far greater margin.

JAGNOW STARS

Lew Jagnow led the Carnegie attack with seven fine field goals, four of which he recorded in the first half. He also made good on one free throw, giving him a point total for the night of 15. His floor work was excellent, being as good possibly, as that of any of the Carnegie heroes. Bob Smith, the gent who usually scores rather high, was held to a single field goal and a foul.

At the end of the half, Tech led by 22-14. Yale never threatened to make it even close during the first 20 minutes except for a brief moment when the score read, 12-9. Jagnow and Eddie Stentz stepped into a picture at this juncture with field goals and the Yales were forced back.

The men of Carnegie maintained their eight point advantage throughout the second half, and with the game drawing into its closing moments, Capt. Jimmy Leonard and Jagnow matched Nikkel and McGowan, of Yale, shot for shot as the forces of the Blue and White endeavored to draw closer, with the result that the Skibos sported a sizeable advantage when the final gun popped.

USES SUB TEAM

Coach Hogan, of the Techs, inserted an entirely new team toward the close of the game, using Webster, Edelblut, Petransky, Seigal and Burns. Yale made only a single substitution, Howe taking Elliott's place in the second half.

McDonald High lost to the Carnegie Plebes, 36 to 17, in the preliminary contests. The lineups:

Car. Tech	Fg	F	Pt.	Yale	Fg	F	Pt.
Jagnow, f	7	1	15	Elliott, f	1	4	6
Smith, f	1	1	3	Nikkel, f	3	1	13
Burns, f	0	0	0	O'Neil, (C)	0	0	0
Stentz, c	2	2	6	Reese	1	3	5
Silverman, f	0	0	0	McGowan, g	2	1	5
Edelblut, f	0	0	0	Howe, g	0	0	0
Ferguson, g	0	0	0				
Leonard, (C)	2	1	5				
Radabaugh, g	0	0	0				
Freedel, g	0	0	0				
Siegal, g	0	1	1				
Petransky, g	0	0	0				
Totals	17	6	42	Totals	10	12	32

Missed fouls—Carnegie Tech, 6; Yale, 4. Referee—Cal Bolster. Umpire—Yale Wallace. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Tech Fiebes	Fg	F	Pt.	McDonald	Fg	F	Pt.
Ewall, f	1	1	3	Handrup, f	1	0	3
Carlson, f	5	2	12	W.Malarkey, f	0	0	0
McLanahan, c	4	3	11	Linden, c	1	0	2
Ruge, g	0	0	0	J.Malarkey, g	0	0	0
McCallmon, g	1	0	2	Tornatowa, g	2	0	4
Ross, f	0	0	0	Johns, c	0	0	0
Stutt, g	0	0	0				
Hikm, g	1	0	2				
Totals	15	6	36	Totals	7	3	17

Missed fouls—Carnegie 5, McDougal, 6. Referee—Yale Wallace. Umpire—Cal Bolster.

Christmas Day Schedule of Sports

BOXING.

Jimmy Belmont vs. Ted Yarosz, 10 rounds; Billy Flanagan vs. Tiger Joe Wolf, 8 rounds, and Allen Bratty vs. Anson Green and Al Irving vs. Johnny Warner, 6 rounds each, Motor Square Garden, 2:30 p. m.

Amateur bouts, Harvey A. C., Beaver Falls, Pa.

Benny Bass vs. Prince Saunders, Tony Falco vs. Irish Bobby Brady, Wesley Ramey vs. Eddie Cool and Ralph Lewis vs. Lew Raymond, 10 rounds each, Arena, Philadelphia.

Young Firpo vs. Kali Kota, 10 rounds, Broadway Club, Philadelphia.

Buddy Brennan vs. Benny Schwartz, 10 rounds, and Billy Ketchel vs. Johnny Dixon, 8 rounds, Cambria Club, Philadelphia.

Benny McArthur vs. Paul Oger, 10 rounds, Fairmont, W. Va.

Jimmy Gilligan vs. Peter Roberts, 8 rounds, Toronto, O.

Young Ketchel vs. Paulie Walker, 8 rounds, Wilmington, Del.

FOOTBALL.

Kenny Club vs. Brooklyn Institute, Tower Institute, Brooklyn, 2:30 p. m.

SOCCER.

All-star game, American-born vs. Foreign-born teams, South Park, 2:30 p. m.

Pittsburgh Rovers vs. Cumberland All-Stars, Leslie Park, 10:30 a. m.

Baltimore Stars vs. Rovers, Wrigley-home Field 10:30 a. m.

BASKETBALL.

West Penn League—Hill Top Y. at Penn Fire, Sharpsburg; Rai Schneiders vs. Goslin Club, South Side Market House.

Greater Pittsburgh League—Rex Rogers at Center Avenue Y. P. S. A. No. 205 at Grand Castle (Gladstone High School).

Independent—Y. M. H. A. "B" team vs. Akron Y. M. H. A. at Y. M. H. A., 1 p. m.; Kelley Big Five vs. Slaughter Five, at Cleveland Pythian Temple; Rankin Girls vs. Paramount Girls, 8 preliminary, 8 p. m.

VOLLEY BALL.

Y. M. H. A. vs. Akron Y. M. H. A. at Y. M. H. A., 1:30 p. m.

HOCKEY.

International League—Cleveland at Detroit.

National League—New York Rangers at New York Americans.

CROSS COUNTRY.

Nativity Catholic Club cross-country run, Philadelphia.

HORSE RACING.

Meetings at Havana, Jefferson Park and Agua Caliente.

TRAPSHOOTING.

South Hills Sportsman's Association shoot, 11:30.

Chicken and turkey shoot, Trafford Rifle Club, Trafford, 9 p. m.

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ALL TOPICS IN YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON SELF-EXPLANATORY.
SATURDAY—A MAYOR WHO QUIT HIS JOB TO CLEAN THE STREETS.

'ROUGH STUFF' BAN LIFTED, PITT WINS

By H. C. Carlson

PITT BASKETBALL COACH

Written Exclusively for the Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.—The sun broke through the clouds this mornin, and Pittsburgh has served notice th[at] they will fight fire with fire. All of this as a result of the Golden Cats' 25-to-2[1] victory over Kansas U. in the third and last game of the current series between the teams here last night.

Dr. H. C. Carlson

So far on this western tour of ours, Pitt has only received punishment. B[ut] they decided to give it back last night, and played the roughest game of their careers.

DON SMITH STAR

Every boy looked good, but that white head of Wrobleski bobbed up frequently to thrill the crowd while Pitt was behind, and then Don Smith took complete charge of the game in the latter part of the second half to rout Kansas.

Duckey Kowalis was the spark plug and Jimmy Lawry rested a slightly indisposed ankle.

The second team allowed Kansas six points in the last few minutes. Kansas continued its usual criss-cross attack, out front with pivot man at foul line and trailer back, occasionally giving the ball to the pivot man and frequently using a long shot with an aggressive follow in, which generally submerged the Pitties.

You don't have to prop up the corners of your mouths with a reminder of my indiscreet youth when another game is offered us on the Coast.

The boys were disappointed when Newsboy Joe, of Oakland, failed to arrive, for anyone from Pittsburgh would have looked good.

CESANI PRAISED

Cesani, a Jeannette boy, played good ball for Kansas through the entire series.

The Pitt boys looked at beautiful Kansas City on me yesterday and more than repaid me last night.

We are hustling towards those snow-capped Rockies and, confidentially, a lot of victories. The lineup:

Pittsburgh	Fg	F	Pt.	Kansas	Fg	F	Pt.
Lowry, f	0	2	2	(C) Lowry, f	4	2	10
Wrobleski, f	4	0	8	Harrington, f	1	1	3
Wilkowski, f	1	0	2	Johnson, f	1	1	3
Schweikhart, c	1	1	3	Tapp, c	0	1	1
Hopkins, g	0	1	1	Bunch, g	0	0	0
Smith, g	4	2	10	Cassell, g	0	0	0
Boyle, g	0	0	0				
Totals	10	5	25	Totals	6	5	17

Officials: Lowry, St. Marys; Quigley, St. Marys; Dwight Regan, Washburn.

Basketball Scores

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

COLLEGIATE

Carnegie Tech	42	Yale	32
Pitt	39	Kansas	25
N. D. State	30	Montana State	29
Geneva	34	Youngstown Y	17
New York U	28	Columbia	27
Texas U.	31	W. Central (Okla.)	7
Texas U.	41	Tex. Chiropractor	17
Utah U.	37	Denver U.	21
Los Angeles A. C.	31	Utah Aggies	30

SCHOLASTIC

Perry	26	Bellevue	13
Tech Fiebes	36	McDonald	17
Oakmont	12	Arnold	11
South Hills	25	Wilkinsburg	22

BEAVER COUNTY LEAGUE

Beaver Falls	49	Edmund City	17

WEST PENN LEAGUE

Murrys	35	Lovejoys	17

CATHOLIC LAYMEN'S LEAGUE

St. Joseph's	21	St. Michael's	18

INDEPENDENT

Rankin C. C.	28	Edna Five	24
Trinity Angels	32	Andy Five	24
Frank Ferris	34	Brinkers	29
L. F. Barkes	28	16th Artillery	27
Hotel Pirates	35	P. N. A.	33
Wilmerding Y	37	Downtown Y	31
Holy Trinity	31	Cooks	24
Jo-Jo Club	46	K. of St. George	21
Fgh. Prep	40	Universal	24
Rankin Center	26	Edna Five	24

*Extra period.

'SNAKE' AMES ENDS LIFE

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—"Snake" Ames, of Princeton, was taken out of the lineup today—permanently. The famous Tiger fullback of yesteryear ended the game of life last night with the bark of his own gun.

In his later years he was known as Knowlton L. Ames, financier, newspaper publisher, and social leader.

Seated in the tonneau of his expensive automobile, he sent a bullet through his temple.

Failing health and financial losses were ascribed by relatives as the motive for his act. He was 63 years old.

A sorrowful Christmas was to be the lot of Ames' widow and their youngest daughter, Emily Anne, 5, who were due to arrive home today from Jacksonville, Fla., where they had been vacationing. They were on the train when Ames took his life.

Two surviving relatives, one a daughter, and both famous, are living in London, England. The daughter is Rosemary Ames, 24, a star on the London stage, who recently became engaged to B. A. Meyer, a theatrical producer in the British capital.

Ames' other relative, in London, is Gen. Charles Gates Dawes, ambassador to Great Britain. He was Ames' second cousin and one of his closest friends.

He also is survived by two sons, Knowlton L. Ames, Jr., publisher of the Chicago Evening Post, and John Dawes Ames.

FAMED AS FULLBACK

At Princeton in the late eighties Ames won nation-wide fame as one of the best fullbacks in the gridiron game. He graduated in 1890 and came to Chicago to pursue his brilliant career. For a long period of time he was head of K. L. Ames & Co., an investment concern. Then he went into the newspaper business, becoming publisher of the Chicago Journal of Commerce. After relinquishing this post to his son, Knowlton, Jr., the elder Ames be-

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Agua Caliente Loses $100,000, Closes Track

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—President James N. Crofton, of the Agua Caliente Jockey Club, has announced that the present race meeting would be temporarily suspended beginning today.

Poor attendance, resulting in a loss of $100,000 for the 24 days the meeting has been in progress, resulted in the decision to temporarily suspend racing. Crofton said it is hoped to resume the meeting on New Year's Day.

COAST MAY GET HEAVY BOUT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Negotiations for a heavyweight championship match in Chicago this winter between Max Schmeling, the champion, and Mickey Walker came to an abrupt halt yesterday when Nate Lewis, Chicago matchmaker, declined to put up $50,000 as a forfeit.

Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager, insisted Lewis post that sum as a guarantee the Illinois State Legislature amend the boxing laws so that a 15-round championship fight might be held. The Legislature does not reconvene until January 5, and Jacobs said he must have the guarantee to wait that long as he and Schmeling both wanted to get a match this winter.

The elimination of Chicago and the previous elimination of Miami, where Madison Square Garden holds sway, as a site for the Schmeling-Walker fight, the only one the German seems disposed to make at the moment, leaves only Los Angeles as a possible scene for a championship match this winter.

Lewis, meanwhile, declared he had closed on terms with managers of Tony Canzoneri, lightweight champion, and Bat Battalino, featherweight titleholder, for a 10-round bout in Chicago late in January.

MULDOON ILL, IN HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The condition of William Muldoon, 86-year-old member of the New York State Athletic Commission, today was reported as satisfactory at Post-Graduate Hospital, where he is a patient with an unannounced ailment.

His nurse said he had spent a "comfortable night" and was cheerful.

Dr. Joseph C. McCarthy is making a thorough study of the veteran's condition and has not announced his findings.

FELL DOWN STAIRWAY

Until three years ago, Muldoon, for the last 30 years the owner and manager of a health institute and since 1921 a member of the New York State Athletic Commission, never knew what it was to be ill. Then he contracted neuritis in one shoulder. While still suffering from that, he fell 15 feet down a stairway of the railway station at White Plains, N. Y., and was severely shaken up.

He celebrated his eighty-third birthday that year, May 25, 1928, in bed for the first time in his life.

HAS BEEN ACTIVE

Muldoon has experienced 86 years of as active a life as man ever lived. He has been Greco-Roman wrestling champion of the world, New York policeman, Shakespearean actor, trainer of John L. Sullivan for a time and boxing writer.

Hundreds of stories have been told of his early life. Ed Van Every wrote a book about him; there was a song "Muldoon, the Solid Man," although both its author and Muldoon denied he was its inspiration; he is a never-yielding foe of tobacco and is credited with inspiring the ban on smoking during boxing bouts in Madison Square Garden.

HARPER WINS TITLE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Robert B. Harper, of Denver, Col., last night won the national amateur three-cushion billiard championship here by defeating Joseph A. Hall, of San Francisco, 150 to 140, in 194 innings in three nights of play.

WOTAN GIVEN TOP WEIGHT

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Wotan, Ed Haughton's consistent handicap star, has been allotted top weight of 118 pounds in the list of weights announced for the Christmas handicap at the Jefferson Park racetrack.

Twenty-four horses have been named for the stake, which is at a mile for all ages.

Wotan will be giving away eight pounds to Quarter Deck, Supreme Sweet and Tannery, which are grouped at 110, the closest weight to him. Wotan won the Thanksgiving handicap, and his only other start at Jefferson Park.

GENEVA TOSSERS COP

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 24.—Geneva College cagers had little difficulty in swamping the Youngstown Y. M. C. A. five, 34 to 17, here last night. The initial half ended 21-3 with Geneva in the lead.

Youngstown Y	Fg	F	Pt.	Geneva	Fg	F	Pt.
Cole	0	1	1	Manning	5	1	11
Marks	0	1	1	Grimsburg	1	3	5
Lewis	0	2	2	Montgomery	1	1	3
Lloyd	0	0	0	Aughton	2	1	5
Cleveland	0	0	0	Graham	2	1	5
Bacon	0	1	1	Martino	0	0	0
Cornell	0	0	0	Lipp	0	1	1
Rice	1	2	4	Fair	0	0	0
Banks	0	2	2	Ranean	0	1	1
Hawn	0	0	0	Gardo	0	0	0
Totals	1	9	17	Totals	15	7	37

TULANE WORKS ON COAST

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Dubious as to the ability of his team to uphold the prestige of the South in Rose Tournament play, Coach Bernie Bierman yesterday brought 35 of his Tulane gridiron Greenies into town to make final preparations for the football clash with the University of Southern California on New Year's Day.

Easterners Drill

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—With a short but snappy workout in driving rain, eastern football stars who will play in the annual East-West charity game here New Year's Day completed a round of activities yesterday that included a visit to the shriners' Crippled Children's Hospital and attendance at a luncheon.

BEARS BEACH ATLANTA

ATLANTA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Coach Navy Bill Ingram and his California football team rode into Atlanta this morning with a burst of rain which broke up drills for a stiff session in preparation for the Saturday charity contest with Georgia Tech. The Golden Bears, three full teams and three extras, came here from New Orleans, where they stopped for a two-hour workout yesterday en route from Berkeley.

GEORGIA TECH WORKS

ATLANTA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Assistant Coach Bobby Dodd, former backfield star at the University of Tennessee, gave his Georgia Tech passers and receivers a long session yesterday in preparation for Saturday's game with California in Atlanta.

Perry, Oakmont High Fives Win

Perry High won from Bellevue High, 26 to 13, in their basketball conflict yesterday afternoon.

Oakmont came through with a 13-12 victory over Arnold, and South Hills won from Wilkinsburg, 25 to 22.

ANSWER TO QUERY

Fight Fan.—Roger Bernard knocked out Young Terry McGovern in the second round of a preliminary to the Joe Dundee-Jackie Fields bout in Detroit, July 25, 1929.

FIGHT RESULTS

At San Francisco—Jimmy Evans defeated Madison Dix, 10 rounds.

At New York—Bert Paxton knocked out Frankie Konchina, 6 rounds.

TWO SOCCER TILTS TOMORROW

INTERNATIONAL GAME CARDED TOMORROW

By TOM BIRKS

Soccer fans have two interesting games scheduled for the Christmas Day entertainment. At South Park an international match featuring American-born and foreign-born teams will clash. This game is to be staged in the afternoon. In the morning Pittsburgh Rovers oppose the Baltimore All-Stars of Baltimore, Md., at 10:30.

The international game is expected to attract the big crowd of the day. Johnny Jaap will make his first appearance in this district since his return from Scotland and his playing days in the American League. He will be at center forward for the foreign-born aggregation.

This game will bring into action the two greatest center forwards ever to play in the district. Opposing Jaap will be Buff Donnelli, Morgan star, who has curtailed his soccer appearances since his coaching days began at Duquesne University.

The field is in fine shape and plenty of parking space is available.

The Baltimore team comes here with an excellent reputation. The outfit is composed of former high school players.

In the Central loop four games are to be played Saturday. Inasmuch as the leaders do not come together, however, little interest is expected to be shown unless Westinghouse musters enough strength to beat Clair Douglas.

MORRYS TRIP FORESTERS

The Morrys came through with a 35-to-17 triumph over the Foresters in their West Penn League basketball battle last night.

St. Joseph's won from St. Michael's, 27 to 18, in the Catholic Lyceum circuit, while Beaver Falls defeated Ellwood City, 49-32, in the Beaver County League.

In independent contests the Rankin C. C. nosed out the Etna Elks, 26-24; Trinity Cathedral Angels won from the Andy Five, 53-24; Frank Ferris five upset the Briskeys, 54 to 49; L. F. Burkes beat 176th Artillery, 28-27, and the Brentwood Pirates copped from P. N. A., 33 to 23.

Wilmerding Y. took Downtown Y., 57-38; Holy Trinity beat the Cooks, 25-21; Jo-Jo toppled Knights of St. George, 46-31; Pittsburgh Prep won from Universal, 80-22, and Rankin Center nosed out the Etna Elks, 26-24.

Carnera to Tour In South Ameica

GENOA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Primo Carnera, huge Italian heavyweight boxer, has announced he plans to make a tour of South America after resting for about two months in Italy.

LEAGUE PROPOSED

Representatives from Pitt, Carnegie Tech, Temple, Fordham, New York University, Penn State and West Virginia will meet in New York next Tuesday for the purpose of forming an Eastern Basketball Conference. The matter has been under discussion for [illegible] and it is hoped that final plans will be drawn up at next week's session.

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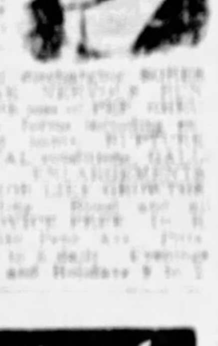

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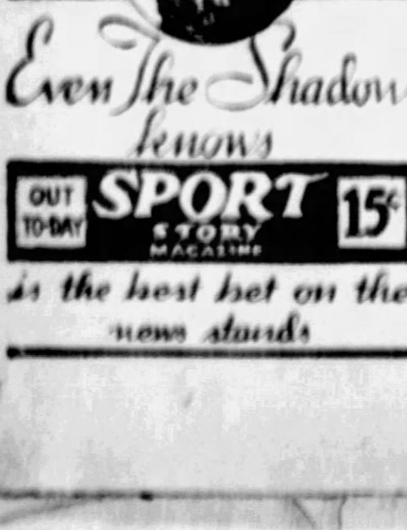

Bowler Rolls 719 For Five Games To Set Record

BALTIMORE, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Bowling 719 in five games of the qualifying round of a duckpin tournament here last night, John Drenner laid claim to a new world record for matches on alleys with lowered gutters. His game score was 150-130-159-137-143—719.

The previous record, he said, was 712, rolled by George Lang, also of Baltimore.

During the five games Drenner made nine strikes and 18 spares. Officials of the tournament said his total will not help him in the tournament final, for all qualifiers must roll a separate set of five games on neutral alleys the night of the final.

Await Bell

PHOTOS by Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph

TED YAROSZ

Monaca welterweight, undefeated in 47 starts, who faces the test of his career in meeting Jimmy Belmont, of Braddock, in the 10-round main bout of the Christmas matinee boxing show in Motor Square Garden tomorrow afternoon.

JIMMY BELMONT

Frank Klaus' contender, set to repulse the advance of Yarosz. Yarosz won on points in their first meeting, at Franklin, more than a year ago.

Tri-County Loop Announce Schedule

The Tri-County Basketball League, which opens Wednesday evening with Greensburg traveling to the Duquesne Republicans, has announced its schedule as follows:

Dec. 30—Greensburg at Duquesne; Dec. 31—Duquesne at Monessen; Wilmsburg at Greensburg; Jan. 4—Monessen at McDonald and Wilmsburg at Charleroi; Jan. 6—Wilmsburg at Duquesne; Jan. 7—Greensburg at Monessen; Jan. 8—Duquesne at McDonald; Monessen at Charleroi; Jan. 13—Charleroi at Duquesne; Jan. 14—Wilmsburg at Monessen; McDonald at Greensburg; Jan. 18—[illegible] at McDonald; Duquesne at Charleroi; Jan. 20—Monessen at Duquesne; Jan. 21—McDonald at Monessen; Duquesne at Greensburg; Jan. 25—Charleroi at McDonald; Jan. 27—McDonald at Duquesne; Jan. 28—Charleroi at Monessen; Wilmsburg at Greensburg; Jan. 29—Wilmsburg at McDonald; Greensburg at Charleroi; Feb. 1—Wilmsburg at Duquesne; Feb. 4—Monessen at Greensburg; Feb. 8—Wilmsburg at Charleroi; Greensburg at McDonald; Feb. 11—Charleroi at Greensburg; Wilmsburg at Monessen; Feb. 15—McDonald at Monessen.

YESTERDAY'S MUTUELS

AT JEFFERSON PARK

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BELMONT MAY HAVE TO WIN BY KAYO

By HARRY KECK

Sports Editor

Football coaches tell you a team that won't be whipped can't be whipped. If that applies to two fighters, you can write it down on your cuff right now that Ted Yarosz, of Monaca, and Jimmy Belmont, of Braddock, will have it out to one of those dizzy draws in their 10-round windup in the Motor Square Garden ring tomorrow afternoon.

To hear both Belmont and Yarosz and their managers tell about it, neither gladiator entertains the thought of a setback. Both can't win and both can't lose—so what?

This is their second meeting, the first having been at Franklin in October of last year, with Yarosz the winner. Reports of what occurred in that battle conflict. It is understood that Belmont scored a knockdown at one stage, but Yarosz came back to force the fighting. Belmont was not nearly the fighter then that he is today and the same holds true for Yarosz.

MAY END IN KNOCKOUT

On their past performances, it would appear that Belmont's main hope for victory lies in his chance of scoring a knockout with his left hook, which has dropped many other foes. Yarosz figures to outpoint him if the fight goes the limit, but, of course, he may not. Teddy is just getting over a broken right hand and may not be inclined to take any chances with it.

Billy Flanagan, of Braddock, stablemate of Belmont, meets Tiger Joe West, local middleweight, in the eight-round semifinal; Allen Beatty, of the Hill, and Anson Green, of Homestead, Negro welters, box the second bout, and Johnny Warner, of Clairton, and Al Iovino, of Swissvale, bantams, are down for the opener, scheduled for 2:30 o'clock.

GUARD AGAINST SCALPING

All of the $1 reserved seats were sold out yesterday, but some 800 general admission tickets at the same price will be available at the box office at noon tomorrow. To guard against ticket scalping such as marked the recent sellout for Belmont's fight with Jackie Fields in the same arena, police will be instructed to arrest any persons selling tickets outside the building. For the Fields bout $1 tickets were peddled by speculators at a 50 per cent increase in price.

Benny McArthur, of McKeesport, boxes Paul Oger in the main bout of a show in Fairmont, W. Va., tomorrow, while Jimmy Gilligan, of the North Side, meets Petey Roberts, of Wheeling, in a six-round bout at Toronto, O., and an amateur show is listed at Beaver Falls.

M'CARTHY MAY HEAD MINORS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Arrival here of J. Alvin Gardner, of Dallas, president of the Texas League, has revived reports that William H. McCarthy, of San Francisco, may be considered to head the National Association of Minor Leagues.

Gardner, member of the committee of five recently named to direct the affairs of the Minor Leagues Association following the resignation of Mike Sexton, president, said he was impressed with McCarthy's capabilities. McCarthy formerly was president of the Pacific Coast League.

The committee will meet at Louisville January 10. Gardner said he was unable to state at this time whether or not the committee would act on the proposition of a successor to Sexton.

Braves Card Late Start at Camp

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The Boston Braves will open the spring training season later than usual, but will make up for it by remaining at the St. Petersburg, Fla., camp several days longer than has been the case in recent years.

Club officials said the battery men would report in Florida on Feb. 28 and would be joined two days later by the rest of the squad. The Braves will break camp on April 3.

The Braves will play exhibition games in Washington, Baltimore and Newark as they head north. Eighteen games will be played in Florida, nine with the New York Yankees, four with the Athletics, two with Brooklyn, two with the St. Louis Cardinals and a single game with the Cincinnati Reds.

South Hills Shoot Is Slated Tomorrow

A large entry is anticipated for the turkey shoot of the South Hills Sportsmen's Association to be held over its range tomorrow.

A new method of competition introduced by Capt. J. L. Carney has taken the trapshooting fraternity by storm. Every gunner has an even chance to win a prize. Secretary McRoberts, of the South Hills Association, has received word from a number of the most prominent scattergun artists in the Pittsburgh district to reserve a place for them in the squads.

Not only are the shotgun artists favored at the South Hills Sportsmen's Association on Christmas Day, but rifleshooters, both high power and small bore, will be given chances to demonstrate their ability.

Butler Lad Named Middie Manager

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 24.—Election of two sports captains at the United States Naval Academy for 1932 have been announced.

Midshipman S. J. Bluein, of Whitinsville, Mass., was chosen to head the cross-country team and Midshipman J. R. Dillon, of Portland, Me., was elected captain of soccer.

The manager of cross-country will be T. R. Vogley, of Butler, Pa., and Midshipman C. B. Jackson, of Van Buren, Ark., will manage the soccer team.

SPORT VIGNETTES

A thumbnail sketch of Eddie Kapphan, Pittsburgh's newest boxing promoter, who will stage his first show within a month in an arena which he will prepare immediately after the holidays . . . He is a successful businessman of 47 who was a leading amateur and then a professional boxer around here a quarter of a century ago . . . He won the bantamweight championship of Western Pennsylvania and later lost to Joe Morgan and then turned pro . . . He defeated Harry Burke in three rounds in the historic Old City Hall arena and then defeated Joe Cosgrove there and won from Jack Rowe in four rounds at McKeesport in a show promoted by the late John Harris . . . He knocked out Mickey Sullivan at the Foster Club in Lawrenceville and then stopped Gum Nose Kelly in five rounds in Millvale . . . His last appearance in the ring was in an exhibition with Joe Gans, the lightweight champion, at the Gayety Theater along about 1907 . . . Contemporaries of Kapphan in the ring were Frank Klaus, Joe Alton, Patsy Brannigan and Young Zerringer . . . Where will you find such fine descriptive names as Gum Nose Kelly in the boxing game today, we might ask?

Ralph (Horse) Chase, former McKeesport and Pitt star, now coach at Ursinus College, inaugurated his basketball season with a 36-20 victory over Moravian College . . . Last Christmas afternoon, Jimmy Belmont, of Braddock, fought his first bout under the management of Frank Klaus, former middleweight champion, and he will be making his twelfth start under the Klaus banner when he meets Ted Yarosz in the main bout at Motor Square Garden tomorrow afternoon . . . A year ago, he faced one Jackie Stewart at Aliquippa, scoring a quick knockout . . . His most recent bout was against Jackie Fields, former welterweight champion, at the Garden, which drew close to $6,000, the best gate of the local indoor season so far.

Ted Ramsey, sports editor of the Charleston (W. Va.) Daily Mail, has compiled a list of All-America teams embracing seven leading selections, which shows that only four of the first team players were unanimous choices . . . They are Dalrymple, Tulane, end; Munn, Minnesota, guard; Schwartz, Notre Dame, halfback, and Rentner, Northwestern, fullback . . . The others are Quatse, Pitt, tackle, three votes; Morrison, Michigan, center, two votes; Baker, Southern California, guard, five votes; Kurth, Notre Dame, tackle, four votes; Cronkite, Kansas Aggies, end, three votes; Wood, Harvard, quarterback, three votes, and Shaver, Southern California, back, three votes . . . The teams are those of the All-America Board of Football, Collier's, Associated Press, United Press, NEA, New York Post and New York Sun.—HARRY KECK.

Shawkey Discards Baseball for Gold Mine

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Baseball probably has seen the last of Bob Shawkey, former star pitcher and for a brief time manager of the Yankees. He's gone gold miner, and already is convinced that delving for nuggets has it all over baseball as a career.

"Last July I bought a gold mine in Canada," Shawkey revealed.

"We started working it in September, and last week it assayed $19.50 a ton.

"I just have returned from my mine, where I saw nuggets sticking out of the vein. It was 20 below zero, but that gold warmed me up.

"The mine may not prove as good as it looks. Then again, it may be a rich strike, and I own it all. Another month should tell the story."

Shawkey, recently deposed as pilot in Jersey City in favor of Hans Lobert, said he wasn't interested in finding another baseball job.

PONZI VICTOR OVER ALLEN

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Andrew Ponzi, of Philadelphia, last night won fourth place in the national pocket billiard tournament, in which play proper ended Monday. He defeated Benny Allen, of Kansas City, 125 to 27, in the final match of a four-way round robin playoff.

Two Philadelphians thus became seeded contestants in the next championship tournament. George Kelly won second place in a playoff with Erwin Rudolph, of Cleveland, whom Ralph Greenleaf, of New York, dethroned as champion.

Ponzi and Kelly both were in their first championship tournament.

Ponzi defeated Onofrio Lauri, of Brooklyn, 125 to 39, in 14 innings, in the fifth match of the playoff.

Allen entered the final by defeating Frank Taberski, of Schenectady, N. Y., 125 to 97, in 14 innings.

N'CASTLE SETS GRID CARD

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Dec. 24.—Ralph H. Gardner, faculty manager of New Castle High School, has announced the 1932 gridiron schedule of the school. There will be five night games and the remainder played in the daytime. The schedule follows:

September 16—New Castle vs. Union Township High at home; September 24—New Castle vs. McKees Rocks at home; September 30—New Castle vs. Charleroi; October 7—New Castle vs. Canonsburg at home; October 15—New Castle vs. Washington at Washington, Pa.; October 21—New Castle vs. Ellwood City at home; October 29—New Castle vs. Altoona at Altoona, Pa.; November 5—New Castle vs. New Kensington at home; November 12—New Castle vs. South High, Youngstown, at home; November 19—Open; November 24—New Castle vs. Turtle Creek (Union) at home.

Today's Scratches

Jefferson Park.

First race—Miss Upset, Saidmore, Strathbona, The Great Grief, Worm Glow, Regretful, French Lad.

Second race—Lass Mary, Tonight, Our Sandy, Cherry Heart, Newbridge, Dear Natalie, Berry S.

Third race—Bigthorne, Robina, Seth, Monique.

Fourth race—Peter Peter.

Fifth race—Sister Harriet.

Sixth race—Rosette, Finesse, Durand, Hubbie Thoughts, Elizabeth Sullivan, Sunmaid, Lucky Drift, Hand Dance, Patricia Clare, Aurica, Knox Grosse.

Seventh race—Alton N. Peace Lad.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

Tanforan.

First race—Sir O'Scotch, Mythical, Tom-[illegible], Noyes, Ruffa, Swept Carey.

Second race—Fred Wright, Black Paul, Bajan.

Third race—Cherry Fly, Vibrator, Le-[illegible], Kinworth.

Fifth race—Bumpus Bay, Corsenda, Cubbins.

Sixth race—Wizardry.

Seventh race—Glenson, Marguerite May.

Weather drizzling; track sloppy.

Havana.

Second race—Rocky Point.

Third race—Thunder Nymph, Eight Hour Pan, Reggie.

Fourth race—Anopea, Chanticleer, Palo Meadow, Hypnogen.

Fifth race—Kaster Boy, Morvicu, John Mill Traenn, Ada Kennedy, Chill Wind.

Sixth race—Disapproved, High Glass II.

Weather clear; track fast.

Tomorrow's Entries

Jefferson Park.

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Weather raining; track heavy.

MACK SPENDS BIRTHDAY WORKING

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Connie Mack, master mind of the Philadelphia Athletics, spent his sixty-ninth birthday in his office, but he was too busy receiving congratulations from visitors and by telephone and telegraph to transact much business.

He received many gifts from admirers, chief among them being a birthday cake presented by members of his team, big George Earnshaw, Jimmy Dykes and Bing Miller.

"They didn't put any candles on it," Mack said. "They had designs of baseballs and bats on the top. Those bats and balls reminded me of days gone by—and days to come."

Hundreds of telegrams arrived from all parts of the country, from fellow major and minor league club managers, from umpires, league officials, baseball players and other friends.

Flowers in great numbers were sent to his office and home. Mack celebrated the occasion with a quiet dinner at his home with members of his family and a few close friends in attendance.

'SNAKE' AMES ENDS LIFE

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came president of the Booth Fisheries Company.

Although Ames was known to have lost large sums in recent investments, his poor health was regarded as a more important reason for his act.

PRAISED BY STAGG

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Knowlton L. Ames, Sr., who killed himself last night, was one of the greatest halfbacks of his day, Coach Amos Alonzo Stagg, of the University of Chicago, said today.

Stagg was an all-America end at Yale when Ames performed as an all-America halfback at Princeton and the two met often on the football field of battle.

"Mr. Ames was one of the shiftiest backs I ever met," said the 'Grand Old Man of Chicago football.' "He had a snaky way of throwing his hips and weaving in and out of a group of tacklers, that's why we called him 'Snake.'"

Stagg said that while Ames was famed for his ball carrying, he also was a fine punter.

Coach Stagg also recalled that he engaged in several pitching duels with Ames in the Yale-Princeton games of 1887 and '88.

Dempsey Willing To Box Sharkey

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Jack Dempsey, former world heavyweight titleholder, paused in the midst of his duties as Salt Lake's unofficial Santa Claus here today long enough to tell the world he was not afraid to fight Jack Sharkey now or any other time.

Replying to Sharkey's challenge that Dempsey meet him in a 15-round bout or admit he is afraid to fight, Dempsey said he is willing to fight Sharkey, but insisted that the Bostonian "put something on the dotted line." Dempsey was inclined to regard Sharkey's challenge as a bid for publicity and dismissed it lightly.

"I need money," Dempsey said, "and, until they come across, I am through whooping up the Sharkey gang."

Sharkey, in his challenge, resented some cracks made about him as a fighter by the Dempsey barnstormers and offered to bet $50,000 that he could knock out Dempsey or make him quit within six rounds.

Hoppe Sets Pace In Double Cue Test

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Willie Hoppe again outscored Welker Cochran, both at balkline and three-cushion billiards, in the third block of their double test last night, and at the halfway mark of the match held good leads in both departments.

In the 18.2 balkline match Hoppe won the third block, 250 to 231, in five innings. He had a high run of 159 to Cochran's 82. After three blocks, Hoppe led, 643 to 610.

Hoppe took the third block of the three-cushion test, an added feature, 20 to 17, in 17 innings. Three-block totals were Hoppe 56, Cochran 45.

One Killed, Five Hurt in Auto Crash

SPEED, Ind., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Hollis A. Doughty, 17, was killed, and five other members of the Silver Creek (Ind.) basketball team were injured early today in an automobile accident. Returning from a game in North Madison, their automobile plunged over a 20-foot embankment a mile north of Speed and landed upside down on a railroad track.

Y. M. H. A. to Meet Morry Five Tonight

The Y. M. H. A. basketball team will have the Morrys as its attraction tonight at the Y. M. H. A. The varsity B quintet will meet Canton Y. M. H. A. in the preliminary game.

GAME ON AIR

The Georgia Tech-California intersectional game at Atlanta, Ga., Saturday, will be broadcast over station WJAS, a member of the Columbia network, with Ted Husing at the mike. The broadcast will begin at 3 p. m.

Olympic Aid Refused By Belgian Senate

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The Belgian Senate yesterday rejected a request for $14,000 to finance a Belgian team in the tenth Olympiad at Los Angeles, Cal., next year.

A. M. A. TO MEET

The registration committee of the Allegheny Mountain Association will hold its final meeting of the year at the association office, Room 37 Vandergrift Building, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The committee consists of H. J. Blum, chairman; P. J. Corr, University of Pittsburgh; J. J. Johnson, R. F. Marshall and R. V. [illegible].

BERNARD CUE VICTOR

John Bernard tripped William Eichenmuller, 50 to 39, in their Greater Pittsburgh Billiard League match at the Tobin parlors last night. Each had a high run of five.

MANDELL PROMOTER

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Dec. 24.—(AP.)—Sammy Mandell, former world lightweight champion, will promote weekly boxing shows here for the National Guard beginning early in January.

LEONARD ILL, BOUT OFF

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(INS.)—Benny Leonard, former lightweight champion, was ill with the grippe today, and his scheduled bout with Billy McMahon here Monday night was postponed for three weeks.

COLUMBIA NOSED OUT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP.)—The New York University basketball team defeated the Columbia five, Eastern Intercollegiate League champions, 28 to 27, last night.

Death Notices 1

BERG—On Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 6 p. m., GEORGE BERG, Sr., husband of the late Emma Schettler, father of George Berg, Jr., at his home, 1202 Morrow street, Wilkinsburg. Services Saturday, December 26, at 2:30 p. m. Friends are invited.

CRAWFORD—On Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 3 p. m., NELLIE BUCHANAN CRAWFORD, widow of Hon. Joel Crawford. Survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mabel B. O'Neill, of Fallowfield avenue, Pittsburgh, and Mrs. Bessie Gross Schwarz, of Detroit, Mich. Funeral services at her residence, 502 High street, Freeport, on Saturday, December 26, at 2 p. m.

GROOM—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 23, 1931, SAMUEL CRAIG GROOM, aged 37 years. Friends will be received at his late home, 620 Neville avenue, Coraopolis, Pa., until Sunday morning, December 27, when the remains will be removed to Armour funeral home, 867 Fifth avenue, where services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Carnot, Pa.

HAMMEL—NINA DIMLING, beloved wife of Philip Hammel. Funeral from the family home, 616 Edmond street, on Saturday, December 26, at 2 p. m. Services at Baum's German Protestant Church at 2:30 p. m. Friends and members of Ladies' Aid Society of Baum's Church are invited.

HENNESSY—ANNA McAULIFFE, wife of the late Dock Hennessy, mother of Mrs. May King and James Hennessy. Funeral from the home of her daughter, Mrs. May King, 6308 Everett street, East End, on Saturday. Requiem mass at Sacred Heart Church at 9:30 a. m. Friends are invited.

HARRIS—On Thursday, December 24, 1931, at 9:20 a. m., BENJAMIN F., husband of the late Harriett Stewart Harris, of 1300 Reddour street. Funeral from Aebersold's chapel, East North avenue at Sandusky street, North Side. Notice of time later.

HEIGL—On Tuesday, December 22, 1931, at 10:48 p. m., JOHN HEIGL, beloved husband of Caroline Seidl, in his 68th year. Funeral from his late residence, 147 McNeilly road, Elwyn, Baldwin Township, on Saturday, December 26, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at Resurrection R. C. Church, Brookline, at 10 a. m. Friends are invited.

LADOFF—On Wednesday, December 23, at 6:35 p. m., ANNA M. LADOFF, M. D., wife of the late Isadore Ladoff and mother of Sonia Ladoff, at her residence, 247 Amboy street, East End. Services Friday morning, December 25, at 10 a. m. Interment private. (Albany, N. Y., and Schenectady, N. Y., papers please copy.)

MUNDT—On Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 5:30 p. m., BERTHA C. MUNDT (nee Garber), widow of William F. Mundt, in her 62nd year. Survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mecchinnia Flowers, Mrs. Ella Rees, Mrs. Freda Laux, two sons, Charles F. and Arthur G. Mundt. Funeral services at her residence, 2802 Waterman avenue, Carrick, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited. Interment in Smithfield Cemetery.

McCAUSLAND—On Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 3:15 p. m., SHEILA, daughter of Charles W. and Helen McCausland (nee Sheridan), aged 2 years, 9 months and 27 days. Services at parents' residence, Lindbergh avenue, Glenshaw, on Saturday at 2 p. m. Friends invited.

PATTERSON—On Thursday morning, December 24, 1931, at 9:30 o'clock, GEORGE C. PATTERSON. Services at his residence, 6411 Ladeau street, East End, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Plum Creek Cemetery, New Texas, Pa.

PHILLIPS—On Thursday, December 24, 1931, at 6 a. m., Dr. ROBERT JAMES PHILLIPS, beloved husband of Susie Albertyne Phillips and father of Dr. S. R. Phillips, J. H. Phillips and Edna Grace Phillips, in his 70th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 61 Amanda avenue, Knoxville. Notice of time later.

PRICE—On Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 10:30 a. m., CLARA, daughter of Clara Dunham Price and the late John Price, sister of Mrs. Margaret Duncan, aged 39 years. Services Sunday at 2 p. m. at the family home, 115 Sylvan street, near Arlington avenue, via Arlington cars to end of line. Members of Ladies Auxiliary, B. of L. F. & E. invited.

SCHELL—On Tuesday, December 22, at 12:45 noon, ELIZABETH FILLMORE, beloved wife of Thomas Schell. Funeral on Saturday, December 26, 1931, from the family home, 1160 Pine Hollow road, McKees Rocks, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 a. m. Friends invited.

AEBER—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 23, 1931, at 10:30 p. m., MERRILL C., son of Harry and Lizzie Weber (nee Ross), aged 20 years. Funeral services at the family residence, 727 [illegible] street, Sheraden, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Sunday afternoon, December 27, at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited.

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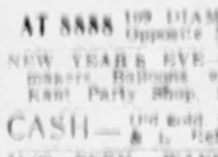

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Auction Sales 106

WE will offer for sale at public auction for account of whom it may concern, on Monday, December 28, 1931, at 11:30 a. m., at our office, 301 Columbia Bank Building, 214 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, three blocks of 250 shares each of the capital stock of Pennsylvania Corporation, a Delaware corporation, having 1,000 shares of capital stock as per recent amendment of charter. J. M. ASKIN & COMPANY, Auctioneers.

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Legal Notices 107

EDWIN DORAN, Attorney-at-Law, 1401 Law and Finance Bldg. Notice letters testamentary on estate of John B. Muller, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment, those having claims will present them to J. A. Riechner, Executor, 3118 Carson street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ALBERT G. LIDDELL, Attorney, 413 Union Trust Building. Notice letters testamentary on estate of Patrick Knight, deceased, late of Swissvale, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Annie Knight, Executrix, 2520 Columbia ave., Swissvale, Pa.

Legal Notices 107

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., December 1, 1931.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The Monongahela National Bank of Pittsburgh," Pennsylvania, that the same must be presented to M. H. Sims, Receiver, with the legal proof thereof within three months from this date or they may be disallowed. J. W. POLE, Comptroller of the Currency.

PUBLIC SALE.

Notice is hereby given that one "Cold Rite Cream Center Maker" purchased by Pearce Candy Company under a conditional sales agreement from Marrow Brothers, Inc., will be sold at 837 West North avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 30th day of December, 1931, at 10 o'clock a. m. A. H. KAUFMAN, Attorney-at-Law, Grant Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

CHAS. L. CUNNINGHAM, Attorney, 2021 Farmers Bank Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Hiram Lukens, deceased, late of Wilkinsburg, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Henry Brennan or Henry Brennan, 1314 Thomas boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Ralph H. Young, 538 Midland avenue, Wilkinsburg, Pa., Executors.

JOHN H. LAUER, Attorney, 601 State Theater Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of Peter Walter, deceased, late of Ross Township, Allegheny County, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Hulda L. Hollinger, Executrix, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 211, Millvale, Pa.

TO HENRY BAUERS, Respondent: Take Notice that the case of Beatrice Bauers against you for divorce a vinculo matrimonii, at No. 1008 October Term, 1929, Common Pleas Court of Allegheny County, Pa., will be tried at the City-County Building, Pittsburgh, Pa., when called, or as soon as is convenient to said Court. W. R. Pearsall, Attorney for Libellant, 1002 First National Bank Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

HALLOCK C. SHERRARD, Attorney, 1301 Union Trust Building. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Samuel A. Bryant, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment, and those having claims will present them to Commonwealth Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Administrator, 312 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. W. FORSYTH, Attorney-at-Law, 1010 Berger Bldg. Notice letters of administration C. T. A. on estate of Kate B. Borland, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment; those having claims will present them to Selina S. Borland, Administratrix C. T. A., 3235 Westminster street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

H. G. FLORIN, Attorney, 1074 Frick Bldg. Notice that letters of administration C. T. A. on the estate of John D. Rollin, deceased, late of McKeesport, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Commonwealth Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Administrator C. T. A., 312 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. C. HEPPS, Attorney, Frick Building. Notice that letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Seibert or Josef Seibert, deceased, late of Duquesne, Allegheny County, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Monongahela Trust Company, Administrator, Homestead, Pa.

HARTJE & HERRINGTON, Attorneys, St. Nicholas Bldg. Notice that letters testamentary on the estate of John Davis, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims will present them to Maud Rankin Davis, Executrix, 1122 Warrior street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

D. F. McCARTHY, Attorney-at-Law, 436 Diamond street. Notice letters testamentary on estate of Kate McConvill, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, having been granted, all persons indebted to estate will make payment; those having claims will present them to Henry McConvill, Jr., Executor, 4021 Coleman street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

CITY WED

Story of a Young Married Couple Caught in Big City's Net

By FAITH BALDWIN

(Continued from Yesterday.)

Nevis and Bill Argue With Each Other About Their Friends

CHAPTER VII

Bill responded to Nevis' charges in the routine manner. First by an angry denial, working himself up into a magnificent rage of reproach and pronouncing himself not guilty in a ringing and entirely sincerely innocent voice. And then, of course, by stepping out of the witness box and taking his strong right—or is it left?—hand from the matrimonial Bible and admitting his sin. But not remorsefully. Rather take-it-or-leave-it, rather with defiance. "Yes, I did and what are you going to do about it? And adding a few categorical cold facts in case Nevis, at the breakfast table, with Hari whispering to Kari in the pantry, had never heard of them before. Such as: Men were men and women were women, which was open to argument, but got by. And such as: Drinks were drinks and a lot goes on on club verandas which is all in the spirit of modern times and good clean fun. And such as: Boys will be boys and why not? And most effective of all: Besides it didn't mean a so-and-so thing.

She had that to think about.

Tears of course on her part, and remorse at last on his. And promises. It will never happen again, darling. Nevis, you know I don't give a tinker's damn for any woman in the world but yourself.

Reconciliation. The triumph of sacred over profane love.

Only she didn't forget. Only she saw all about her much the same sort of thing happening. Not with the Hunts. They were, she decided, as happy as clams. Not perhaps with the Carlyles, though she wasn't awfully sure. But with lots of others. It wasn't a crime to kiss another woman's husband or another man's wife. Sometimes it led to a sort of all-change-partners arrangement. Sometimes it did not. However—

OLIVE SENDS VERSE

Well, perhaps it didn't mean anything. Bill appeared to love her as much as ever and Olive did not drop her eyes before her steady gaze the next time they met. She grew to think perhaps it didn't mean anything at all, the whole added arrangement.

Bill had his own private office now. Once when Nevis was in town and was waiting for him to take her to lunch she answered the telephone on his desk, the secretary being momentarily absent. "Bill" asked Olive in her ear.

"No. Nevis."

Olive was not abashed. She had come up, she said, and wondered if Bill would feed her.

"Grand you're here too, why didn't you tell me? We could have come together. We'll all lunch."

They did.

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Then Bill began to get careless about letters. Nevis found them in his bureau, in the suit she was sending to the cleaners.

Synopsis

Nevis and Bill Lancaster, young newlyweds, leave the little Pennsylvania town where they were raised and go to New York. They lease a small apartment and Bill becomes a bond salesman. As he succeeds, they take a house and entertain beyond their means to make an impression. Nevis sees little of Bill. She disapproves of their extravagance, but Bill assures her it is necessary to promote business. Then Bill meets the flirtatious Olive Blanchard, who makes no secret of her designs on him. When Nevis suggests a vacation, Bill tells her he has been invited on a big fishing trip by Mr. Bartlett, a prospective client. Nevis, furious, asks him if it was business which accounted for his attentions to Mrs. Bartlett at a party. Bill believes Nevis should help him by accepting the attentions of men they meet in a semi-social way. Nevis visits Della Hunt, a friend, and meets Harry Carter, the well known architect. A car drives up to Olive's home, across the street, and Nevis is stunned to hear Bill's and Olive's voices. Later, at a dance, Nevis sees Bill kiss Olive.

Now Go On

Not letters exactly. Quotations, mostly from the more outspoken poets. There was one which settled it—in Nevis' mind.

"Bill," wrote Olive. "I've just come across this. Isn't it—I mean, doesn't it express things—exactly."

From the Oxford Book of English Verse laboriously searched out, had Nevis only known it, and bringing a slight increase in color to Bill's face as he read. Bill, who enjoyed an off-color joke as much as the next fellow, but wasn't perhaps, quite educated up to the authentic cry of the poet and authentic expression of the inexpressible.

TURNS TO CARTER

He'd meant to destroy it. But had destroyed an "account over due" statement instead.

An anonymous poet of the perhaps Sixteenth Century had written those few touchingly poignant lines. But this was the Twentieth Century and Olive was far from anonymous. Nevis crumpled the bit of paper in her hand, smoothed it out and put it back where she had found it.

She didn't speak of it to Bill. She couldn't. But at this time she began to believe quite definitely that Bill's affair with Olive had gone beyond what seemed to be routine kissing and usual stage effects.

She began almost involuntarily to deny Bill. It was inevitable not knowing but guessing, not having what is crudely known as evidence, but believing loving him a lot and hating him as much and hating herself more for the doubts she couldn't possibly avoid, feeling herself soiled—if—if.

It was not to be expected that Bill would either understand or admire this attitude, nor enjoy the cheek turned to his kiss. The result was something of a tension, a nerve strain, which ended, or rather went on, in silly, almost causeless quarreling. Bill was grouchy. Nevis was remote.

And because her senses were young and fresh and ardent and because she was what her senses made her, as all of us are, she turned to a person who had not hurt her, had not betrayed nor caused her hours of wonder and question and aching, face downward on a bed in a cool room with the shades drawn and the tears soaking the best pillow cases.

Carter, of course.

And so if Bill was saying gloomily to Olive: Nevis does not understand me. Of course she doesn't, you poor boy. Nevis was saying to Carter: Men—make me sick.

He agreed that they could and should. He held her hand over a discreet tea table in town. At an hotel. Later he held it over an even more discreet table in the penthouse. They were alone. A little later he kissed her and because he did it with brilliant gentleness and genuine tenderness she cried a little on his shoulder and presently kissed him back again, as sweetly and as frankly as a child, and asked for the loan of his handkerchief.

He was very much in love with her and perfectly sincere about it. That was his danger, his own peril and his peril for women. He was always sincere. When it was over, it was over, and no hard feelings and no one irreparably hurt—as far as he was concerned, no real harm done. But while he loved, he was immersed in it and the world could go by. And generally did.

But paused to make comments en route.

Bill said abruptly: "You are seeing too much of Carter. People are talking. I don't like it. I won't have it. You'll cut it out at once, do you hear me?"

She replied evenly: "Certainly I hear you. Anyone could within half a mile. I might remind you though that people are talking about you and Olive."

More fools they, then. That's different, anyhow.

Nevis said, carelessly: "What if I do meet Harry in town now and then? Everyone does it. You meet Olive. Lots of people meet other people. It doesn't mean anything."

"I'm not so sure of that. You're my wife," he shouted, "and I won't stand for it."

Sublime and unreasonable illogic of men. She was amused by it, fleetingly—"and they call women inconsistent!" She said, merely: "Don't make yourself ridiculous."

He made threats, he issued ultimatums. She said sweetly: "If I don't see Harry any more, will you cut out Olive?"

"That's different," he answered again. "I can't go around cutting out women—what a darned fool thing to say—here in our own crowd. What will people say? You are talking through your hat."

It ended there. She told herself: "If he isn't willing to give up Olive, why should I offend and hurt Harry, who is my friend?"

There was no reason, she thought, why she couldn't have an affair with Harry Carter. She used the word, mentally, in its most elastic sense. She had no definite definitions of technicalities. An "affair," that was all. Lunch, tea, dinner, gifts of flowers and books—well, it had already progressed that far—long discussions of life and love—a kiss or two, perhaps. She had no cut and dried plans, no blue prints, so to speak. She didn't stop to consider that when one has said A, roundly, it is difficult to evade saying B. She simply thought, vaguely: "I won't give up my friendship. Why should I not be entitled to the same freedom as Bill?"

But by mid-summer she was deeply involved, more interested than she realized and finding the comfortable absorption of the other man in herself growing necessary, almost vital. She had drifted very far from Bill and knew it. His fault, she thought.

And as for Carter, the chase was becoming a little long drawn out. There, in Nevis' own house one summer afternoon, while Bill was on the links, he said to her definitely: "It can't go on like this, my dear. I'm flesh and blood after all. If you care for me, and I think you do, you'll understand. I love you, Nevis. You've meant, you mean something to me which I swear no other woman has ever meant. You know my life. I can't beg you, as I would if I were younger, to leave Bill and come away with me. I have to think of Kay because of the boys. But I can promise you if you will permit our friendship to become something closer, dearer—that you won't be hurt by it in any way. I loathe discussing practicalities with you. But we can be very careful. Things can be arranged. No one will ever know."

She said, "No—no, Harry—please don't talk about it—" She thought, "Why not?"

After he had gone, designedly losing his control enough to snatch her in his arms—after all Hari was out and Kari off on his own pursuits—and to kiss her hotly and ardently, she went upstairs to her room and looked at herself in the mirror, her shaken lips and shining eyes, frightened eyes, and listening for Bill's step, thought, half terrified, half defiant, "Well, why not?"

"Why not?" thought Nevis, as Bill came galloping upstairs, and burst into the room like a blonde thunderbolt.

Bill, dancing attendance on rich middle-aged wives; Bill, discovered kissing Olive Blanchard in the appropriate moonlight; Bill, living far beyond their means, even if he was the best bond salesman in the Burton organization, was not the Bill with whom, two years previously she had walked to an altar under the sympathetic eyes of half a Pennsylvania town, and whom she had promised to love, honor and obey. Well, love him she did; and always would; honor him, she could no longer; and as for obedience, that was ridiculous in this day and age. Perhaps if their original plan of life had not miscarried them to New York and Westlynne, perhaps if they had remained home where possibly they belonged, things would have been different. As it was she saw no particular reason why she should not indulge in a discreet and stimulating flirtation with Harry Carter. It was safe enough, Harry was married; so was she. And, from her recent observations, a good three-quarters of the married people around her were indulging themselves, some innocently and some not so innocently, on the side. The parsley and olives of the matrimonial dish. Olives is good she thought.

But Bill was full of exclamations. He said, tempestuously:

"Listen . . . what do you think? . . . Fluff and Waterford are splitting! He's been seeing Maida Carey—she's on the stage, you know—for months, Fluff just found out. She's wild. She's going to Reno at once."

Nevis said, blankly, incredulous:

"I don't believe it!"

"Well, you'd better. Sam told me. He ought to know. He's her brother, isn't he? The old man is all cut up about it. The office is like an undertakers' emporium today. Fluff came down to see Sam and her father. She had a lawyer with her. They sent for Waterford. Gosh—I saw him when he came in. He hardly spoke to me. Big row in Burton's private office. You could hear it a block away. Fluff has one of those carrying voices, you know. And old man Burton shouts like a drill sergeant when he gets started. Hell to pay, all around!"

(Continued Saturday.)

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Nevis put the paper back where she had found it.

SUN-TELEGRAPH-WARNER THEATERS JUNIOR KOMIC CLUB

Thousands of children in all parts of Pittsburgh and neighboring communities flocked to the Warner theaters' big free Christmas shows today. The shows were Warner Theaters' Christmas gift to members of the Sun-Telegraph-Warner Theaters Junior Komic Club and their little friends, and ended a four-day Christmas celebration at all Warner theaters.

The meetings of the 17 chapters of the Junior Komic Club last Saturday, were given over to Christmas programs put on by members of the club. At the State, Washington, there was a 20-minute program of music by 12 little musicians. Taking part were Miss Betty Thompson, directress; John Peddicord, Carl Hamilton, Adam Polys, Moyne Moninger, Catherine Shank, Edith Bales, Roger Scott, Charles Higgins, Ruth Johnson, Stanley Wolfe and Rose Marino.

SOLOS RENDERED

Vocal or instrumental solos were given by Donna Hilberry, Wanda Iams and Betty Hilberry, Betty Laughmon, Peggy Claffy, Jane Smith, Donna Fay Walker, Alma June Myers, Virginia Ravella, Jasperine Young, Betty Jane Anderson, Thais Bowers, Charles Hartzell, Anna Mae Cushing, Janet Louis and Margaret Laughman, Betty Jane Armstrong, Virginia Hinerman, Mary Ann Dalton, Gale Hartzell, Rosamond and Margaret Couts, Madeline Borchalk, Rosemary and Matthew DeAngelo, Patricia Metzner, Virginia Picio, Jean Reed, John Galarsky and Betty George. Peggy Gallaher gave a clever reading.

The Christmas program at the Plaza led to the discovery of two very promising child entertainers. They are Paula Pyle and Charles Provost, and their numbers prompted members of Plaza chapter to loud applause.

Tomorrow will be the day that we have been looking forward to so long—Christmas! The Sun-Telegraph - Warner Theaters Junior Komic Club wishes all its members and friends the happiest Christmas of their young lives.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

The Sun-Telegraph-Warner Theaters Junior Komic Club extends birthday greetings to the following boys and girls in the club:

Belmar—Ralph Spottes, William Wilson, Wilson Stevenson, Helen Smiley, Wilfred Jennings, Charles Satka, Gordon Forsythe.

Manor—John Gallaher, Peggy Harmon.

Enright—Greta Williams, Betty Ann Hazerwell, Margaret Daniels, Sam Woodrow.

Arsenal—Anna Presevits.

South Hills—Ada Fay, Wayne Nelson, Charles Dagenais, Billie Bergman, Franklin Williams, Dorothy Celvela, Bill Burrows, Ina Barker, Jack Haas.

Plaza—Joseph Mooney, Margaret Hershey, Dolly Congon, Mary De Shantz, Salvatore Fazio, Ralph Fyrone, Lena Chiapoli.

Mt. Oliver—Mary Pierce, John Carson, Ida Mae Carson.

Harris (Etna)—Virginia Borchey.

Schenley—Anna Covatta, David Parker, Eleanor Dennison, Martha Adams, Louis Lutsman, Leonard Merriweather.

Rowland—Richard Jones, Dorothy Power, Lee Rindl.

Harris (Diamond street)—John Preis, Alice Hieinbotham, Norman Stevenson.

Cameraphone—Frank Verri.

Memorial (McKeesport)—Walter Kaufer, Herman Rosner, Charles Levkuch.

The boys and girls whose names are listed below will have birthdays Friday. Many happy returns of the day!

Belmar—Esther Del Vecchio.

Manor—Philip Greer, Sherwood Kirvan, Melvin Feldman, Howard Rosenberg.

Enright—Ella Berwick, Herb Wilson, Geraldine McCoy, Ella Brooks, Carey Fitzgerald.

Arsenal—Charles Cuthertson, Laura Jean Ray, Robert Taylor, Brenda Hess.

Mt. Oliver—Alex Bailey.

Etna Harris—Edward Trosic, Joseph Pommerman.

Rowland—Marilyn Meashan.

Sun-Telegraph Warner Theaters Junior Komic Club

Meetings Scheduled Tomorrow

Arsenal	12 Noon
Belmar	12:30 p. m.
Cameraphone	11:00 a. m.
Enright	11:00 a. m.
Harris, Etna	1:00 p. m.
Harris, Diamond street	10:00 a. m.
Kenyon	11:00 a. m.
Manor	1:00 p. m.
Mt. Oliver Harris	1:00 p. m.
Plaza	1:00 p. m.
Rowland, Wilkinsburg	12 Noon
Schenley	1:00 p. m.
South Hills, Dormont	1:00 p. m.
Prince, Ambridge	1:30 p. m.
Memorial, McKeesport	11:00 a. m.
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Grand, Greensburg	12:30 p. m.

THIMBLE THEATER

Now Showing—"Just Break the News to Mother"

By Segar

IT DIDN'T TAKE YOU LONG TO GET WELL AFTER I FILLED THE TREASURY DID IT?
HOW CAN I EVER PAY YOU FOR WHAT YOU'VE DONE FOR MY COUNTRY AND ME!
YOU MIGHT PAY ME THE FIVE MILLING PEZOZEES YA OWES ME
HERE IT IS, POPEYE. I HAVE IT READY FOR YOU
KING, I'VE AST YA TWENY TIMES-HOW MUCH IS A PEZOZEE? BUT YA NEVER TOLD ME
A PEZOZEE IS WORTH QUITE A BIT HERE IN NAZILIA-
BUT IN AMERICA-ABOUT ONE HUNDRED PEZOZEES MAKE ONE CENT
IS THAT ALL?! OH, WELL-THA'S ALL RIGHT
I DON'T SUSPOSE I'LL EVER BE SEEIN YA AGAIN, KING-I SUSPOSE THIS IS GOOD-BYE-I WISHES YA LUCK-GOOD BYE, OL' SPORT
GOO-GOOD-BYE, POPEYE-GOOD LUCK TO YOU TOO
HERE, SONNY-TAKE THIS HOME TO YER MAW
ALL THAT FOR JUST ONE PAPER?!
THA'S RIGHT

POLLY AND HER PALS

The Christmas Carolers

By Sterrett

WHERE'S ALL THE JIM-CRACKS TO TRIM THE TREE?
NUTHIN' DOIN'! I AIN'T GONNA RISK MY CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS OUT OF DOORS!
IF YOU'LL BRING YER TREE INSIDE LIKE A SENSIBLE PERSON I'LL LETCHA HAVE 'EM!
SHUX, SUSIE! IT'S AGIN NATURE T'FETCH THAT PORE LI'L PINE INTO THIS HOT HOUSE!
OK! LET NATURE TRIM IT THEN!
?
WAL, I'LL BE JIGGERED!
CLIFF STERRETT 12-24

THE NEBBS

Tipping Her Off

By Hess

MERRY CHRISTMAS
IT AIN'T CHRISTMAS YET, MAY
OH, GLOVES! A NICE WARM PAIR-JUST WHAT I NEEDED AND THEY'RE WASH-ABLE TOO!
MAYBE IT WAS FOOLISH TO BUY 'EM-YOUR HANDS ARE BEING ROASTED, FRIED AND BROILED AROUND THIS KITCHEN-THEY OUGHT TO BE GLAD TO GET SOME FRESH AIR
I HOPE YOU DON'T BUY ME NO NECKTIE THIS CHRISTMAS-THE ONE YOU GIVE ME LAST CHRISTMAS I TIED ONLY ONCE AND IT WRINKLED UP LIKE A WASHBOARD-YOU CAN'T GIT MUCH FER 50 CENTS!
IS THAT SO? I PAID ALMOST A DOLLAR AND IT WAS MARKED DOWN AND YOU WAS GOOD TO THAT TIE-YOU GAVE IT ALMOST AS MUCH SOUP AN' GRAVY AS YOU GOT YOURSELF

TIM TYLER'S LUCK

A Dangerous Errand

By Lym Young

THEY'RE OFF!
IT'S GOIN' TO BE DARK SOON, ROY!
THAT'S WHAT WE WANT, SPUD. WE MUSTN'T BE SEEN AS WE GLIDE WITH A DEAD MOTOR TO THE LANDING FIELD NEAR THE COUNT'S CASTLE!
SEE, THEY'VE GOT A LOT OF NERVE LEAVING ME HERE WITH THE PRINCESS, THE BARON AND BARONESS TOTALOS AND THE BODYGUARD OF SOLDIERS!
SPUD, I MIGHT AS WELL TELL YOU THERE'S A CHANCE OF OUR NOT GETTING BACK-ALIVE!
WE'VE GOT TO, ROY! I LEFT MY HAT AN' MY OWN CLOTHES BACK WITH TIM—!

BRINGING UP FATHER

Changing His Mind

By McManus

WELL! I'M GOIN TO DO JUST AS CASEY SAID- I'LL GO RIGHT IN AN' TELL MAGGIE I'M GOIN' OUT- I'LL BE THE MASTER OF ME OWN HOUSE-
OH! I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD COMPANY-
OH, GIRLS! I WANT YOU TO MEET MY HUSBAND! DEAR! I'VE INVITED MISS ELLA NOYESS AND MISS DELLA WARE - GO AND DRESS-
I'LL GO OUT TO-MORROW NIGHT-
12-24

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TILLIE THE TOILER

Mac's in a Fighting Mood

By Westover

LET'S GO TO THE CASINO AND DANCE TONIGHT TILLIE
I'M SORRY, MAC BUT THAT'S JUST WHERE DICK IS TAKING ME B- NIGHT
-AND, ANYWAY, TO BE PERFECTLY FRANK WITH YOU, WE NEVER ENJOY DANCING TOGETHER - YOU'RE SO SHORT
I WAS CRAZY TO HAVE MY FACE CHANGED IT DON'T MEAN A THING TO YOU- THAT SETTLES IT GOOD-BYE.
HEY, MAC - WE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU - WILL YOU DO ME A FAVOR!
DON'T TALK TO ME, BOB I'M SORE
THAT'S GREAT - YOU'RE JUST THE GUY TO FIGHT BATTLING SPUMONI TOMORROW NIGHT HIS OPPONENT GOT COLD FEET AND BACKED OUT
OKAY. I'LL TAKE HIM ON - AND HOW
CONTINUED
RUSS COSTER

ELLA CINDERS

Painful Payments

By Plumb and Conselman

I'M FROM SCHOZZLEKOPF'S FURNITURE COMPANY! HERE'S THE PLOT! YOU SHOULD ASK ME TO TAKE A CHAIR-- AND THEN IN A CALM VOICE I SAY, THANK YOU, LADY, I'LL TAKE THE WHOLE DANGED LOT!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO TAKE MY FURNITURE!
YOU CAN'T DO THAT! YOU CAN'T COME IN HERE AND CARRY OUT MY FURNITURE!
I KNOW! I CAN'T— THAT'S WHY I BROUGHT THE BOYS ALONG! MAYBE YOU CAN HELP US WITH THE BIG PIECES!
OH, MAMAH--- THOSE GREAT BIG COWARDS--- THEY'VE CARRIED OUT NEARLY EVERY-THING! THEY LAUGHED WHEN I SAT DOWN TO THE PIANO--- ONE OF THEM HAD TAKEN AWAY THE STOOL!
I NEVER DID LIKE THAT FURNITURE ANYWAY! ALL I HAD WITH IT WAS GRIEF! ONCE THE BED FOLDED UP AND I FELL OUT.... ONE OF THE CHAIRS COLLAPSED... I FELL THEN, TOO, AND ANOTHER TIME I SLIPPED AND FELL ON THE LINOLEUM!
BUT THE WORST ACCIDENT OF ALL, LADY, WAS THE TIME YOU FELL DOWN ON ONE OF THE PAYMENTS!

THE BUNGLE FAMILY

The Bright Side of Xmas

By Tuthill

AS YOU SAY GEORGE, THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT IS JUST WONDERFUL. IT MAKES YOU MORE — WELL, CHARITABLE. YOU REALIZE HOW SILLY IT IS TO DISLIKE PEOPLE.. MOST OF THEM, ANYHOW.
I FEEL THE SAME WAY, SORT OF UPLIFTED, EVEN ABOUT NEIGHBORS.
IT'S BEAUTIFUL! AND IT AFFECTS OTHERS TOO. I HAD A WOMAN CALL ME UP TODAY WHO HASN'T SPOKEN TO ME FOR MONTHS. SHE WAS JUST AS SWEET AS COULD BE AND SOMEHOW, I KNOW SHE MEANT MOST OF THE NICE THINGS SHE SAID.
I ALWAYS PITY THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE AFRAID TO BE THROWN OFF THEIR GUARD, EVEN DURING THE HOLIDAYS.
WOULDN'T IT BE WONDERFUL IF FOLKS HAD THIS SPIRIT ALL THE YEAR ROUND! IMAGINE! WHAT A CHANGE IT WOULD MAKE IN SOME OF THE WOMEN I KNOW.
OLD SANTA CLAUS REMINDS US THAT THERE'S SOME GOOD IN EVERYBODY, IF YOU'VE GOT THE TIME AND PATIENCE TO LOOK FOR IT.
WE ALL HAVE FAULTS TOO. ALL OF US. BUT THE LAST TIME IN THE WORLD A PERSON IS WILLING TO ADMIT IT IS WHEN YOU'RE TRYING TO REASON WITH THEM. EVERY SO OFTEN I GET SO UTTERLY DISCOURAGED ABOUT THAT.
PEOPLE ARE IMPROVING ALL THE TIME. I SEE THAT EVERY DAY, AND WE NEVER SHOULD BE TOO BUSY TO OFFER A BIT OF HELP EITHER. NEVER!

MICKEY MOUSE

All the Comforts of Home

By Disney

MY STARS! BRINGING A BATCH OF JAIL-BIRDS INTO MY BOARDING HOUSE! YOU SHOULD OUGHT TO OF KNOWN BETTER
BUT GOSH! I THOUGHT YOU WANTED SOME BOARDERS AND THE CITY'LL PAY YOU FOR FEEDIN' 'EM
WELL, THEY'RE GONE NOW, ANYWAY - I'LL CLEAR THE DISHES OFF THE TABLE AND THEN WE CAN - - -
WHY, THE DIRTY CROOKS!
MERCIFUL GOODNESS!
THEY CAN'T GET AWAY WITH THAT
ME BAWTH, JYMES!
JAILS AIN'T SO BAD!
WALT DISNEY

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

Empty Stockings?

By Walsh

WE GOTTA GET SOME MEDICINE — YOU WAIT OUT HERE — WELL HAVE OUR EYES ON YOU — IF YOU START TRYIN' TO SNEAK AWAY — YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'LL GET!
GAS HOUSE JAKE'S CAFE
GEE, I WISH I WAS SMART — SO I COULD FIGURE OUT SOME WAY TO GET AWAY FROM THOSE LAZY LOAFERS — IF I TELL A COP, I'LL BE SENT TO AN ORPHAN ASYLUM — THEN I NEVER WILL FIND UNCLE PADDY O'FLYNN.
YOU KNOW, ZERO — I GET THE WIM-WAMS EVERY TIME I SEE A "MERRY CHRISTMAS" SIGN — I THINK IT'S JUST KIDDING ME! — 'COURSE, I KNOW IT AIN'T, BUT I FEEL SO BLUE I THINK IT IS!
MERRY XMAS
I GUESS YOU AN' ME WON'T HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR — BUT JUST THE SAME — I HOPE LOTSA KIDS HAVE A SWELL TIME — HONEST, I DON'T WANT SANTA CLAUS TO BRING ME ANY-THING — IF HE'D ONLY TAKE AWAY MY FAKE GRANDFATHER — THEN I COULD HAVE A REAL MERRY CHRISTMAS
RUSSELL McCLURE

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COOK-COOS

By TED COOK

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Former Police Commissioner Whalen says juvenile training does not begin early enough.

Parents get home too late for that.

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Milestones on the path to something or other:

NEW YORK. — In order to protect Christmas shoppers, the police this year designated certain districts into which known criminals may not go under penalty of arrest.

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Says Genevieve, the kitchen cynic—

"The only Christmas cheer I've noticed the last few years has been in bottles."

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Snappy ejaculation, 1912—

"Good night, nurse!"

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TODAY'S PUZZLE

(Oakland, Missouri, Herald)

"Only a short time will be required to make an audit of the books, unless it extends over a long period."

* * *

Dear little Eddie, cute but sly,
Put strychnine in the Christmas pie.
Sighed Mama, after Pa had tasted,
"The rest, I guess, will just be wasted."

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And about the only thing you can get for a nickel, any more, is a wrong number.

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MAN OF THE HOUR

This is Ambrosial O. Ertsnay, apartment house owner, who has been forced to revise the "No Pets" clause in his lease to permit tenants to have wolves at the door.

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Q. and A. Department

Dear Synthetic Aunt Bella—

My fella gave me a diamond bracelet for Christmas and I accepted it. Did I do wrong?

Big Blonde.

Ans.—

Did he also give you one?

Aunt ("Pretty-Wise") Bella.

NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the apartment house

Everybody was stirring, including a prohibition enforcement department souse

Who might better have remained home with his wife and kidneys, I think,

But he apparently figured it was his privilege to snoop around and bum himself a drink.

He polished his badge, then rang each apartment bell,

And when admitted, rubbed his hands and exclaimed, "Well, well, well!

"If any one in this here apartment is in illegal possession of bourbon and rye,

"They better pour the evidence in a glass. Thanks. Here's mud in your eye!"

And then, in a flash, he'd tip toe out the door,

And go right back to some apartment he had called on before.

Consequently he was able to make a long report to his chief

In which he wept into considerable detail to express the belief

That the particular district on which he was assigned to keep an eye,

Was, thanks to his personal efforts, by now practically dry.

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FAMOUS LAST WORDS

I just thought I'd come over and explain the little disturbance you heard last night.

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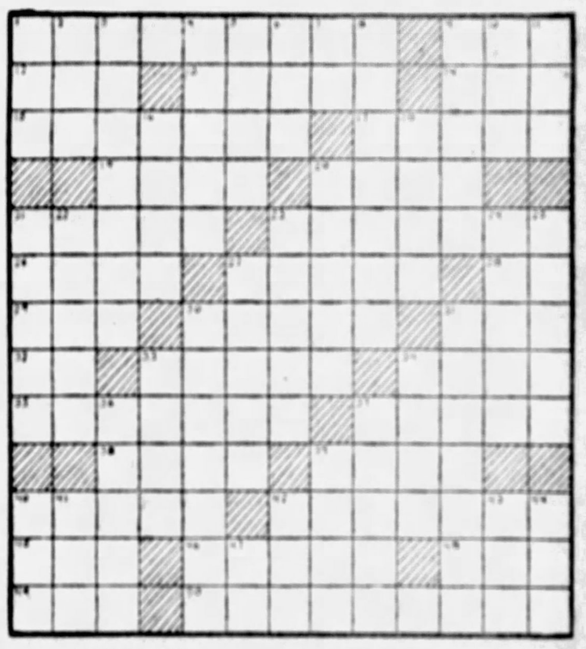
Dealer's choice.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

1—What great actor starred in the motion pictures "Svengali" and "The Mad Genius"?
9—Cooking utensil.
12—Unit.
13—Having ears.
14—Inspire with reverence.
15—What river lies between New York and Ontario?
17—What American general was called "Mad Anthony"?
19—Fruit of the palm tree.
20—What is the missing part of the name of the great American educator, Horace ...?
21—Expectorates.
23—What university is at Ithaca, N. Y.?
26—Section of a window.
27—Crowd.
28—Early English (abbr.).
29—Equip.
30—In Greek mythology, what was the abode of the dead?
31—Observed.
32—Indefinite article.
33—Pertaining to the nose.
34—Bathe.
35—Those in temporary possession of land.
37—Birds of the hawk family.
38—Military assistant.
39—Large moldings of convex profile.
40—Throws with violence.
42—What is the missing name: A village of Northeast New York in the Adirondack Mountains, famous as a health resort is ... lake?
45—Peer Gynt's mother.
46—What is the name of Rousseau's great work on education?
48—Period of time.
49—Affirmative.
50—What city in Pennsylvania is the site of Franklin and Marshall College?

VERTICAL

1—What Buddhist festival is called the Feast of Lanterns?
2—Bird of the cuckoo family.
3—What English earl was Lord Chief Justice of England until 1921, and then Viceroy of India?
4—What Irish poet is a recipient of the Nobel award for literature?
5—Female horse.
6—Anglo-Saxon money of account.
7—Note of the musical scale.
8—What New Englander who took an active part in the "Great Awakening" is considered America's greatest theologian?
9—Who wrote "Home, Sweet Home"?
10—Possess.
11—Artificial elevation.
16—Opening for passage in an inclosing wall.
18—What English queen gave her name to the literary period in which Pope and Swift wrote?
20—Genus of edible fungi.
21—European fish allied to herring.
22—Who wrote "Common Sense" and "The Rights of Man"?
23—Closing measures added to a composition (pl.).
24—Depart.
25—What was the name of George Eliot's husband?
27—Speed.
30—Something given for good luck.
31—Kind of cloth of cotton warp and woolen filling.
33—Pointed piece of metal for driving into wood.
34—Italian coin.
36—The nostrils.
37—What is another name for Chosen?
39—Soft magnesium silicate.
40—Who was Roosevelt's first Secretary of State?
41—Utilize.
42—Transgress.
43—Exist.
44—Vehicle.
47—Parent.

Herewith is the solution to yesterday's puzzle.

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In observance of the holiday the Sun-Telegraph will not be published tomorrow. Merry Christmas to everybody!

Pinchot's Wise Course

The Governor Has Done a Prudent Thing in Not Vetoing the Talbot Bill.

Gov. Pinchot has adopted a wise procedure in consenting to let the Talbot bill become law without his signature.

Pinchot is of the opinion that the bill, appropriating $10,000,000 from the commonwealth's general fund to the poor boards of the various counties for relief of the unemployed, is unconstitutional. He has been given an opinion to that effect by Attorney General Schnader.

The Governor might therefore have justification for vetoing the measure. He has shown prudence in refraining from doing so.

The Attorney General's opinion after all does not have the force of a Supreme Court decision. And there are other attorneys, including the distinguished George Wharton Pepper, who disagree with Mr. Schnader and hold that the present industrial depression is one of the emergencies that the writers of the Constitution had in mind when they said that the state might use its police power to do things not permissible ordinarily. Under authority of this provision of the Constitution, Mr. Pepper thinks, the Supreme Court will hold the Talbot bill constitutional.

The chance is worth taking at any rate, since the Legislature has done scarcely anything else to relieve unemployment distress.

It is gratifying to note that there are members of the Legislature who are not satisfied with what it has done and who plan to do something more.

The meeting of Senators and Representatives of the western counties, held here last night to discuss the matter, may bring results.

Priest Turns Tables On Governor Hartley

Father Flanagan's reply to Gov. Hartley, of Washington, dealing with the sentence of life imprisonment imposed upon a boy not yet in his teens, is a humanitarian document.

It is also a model of polite yet sincere and spirited rebuke, for, while it throbs with passionate sympathy and prayerful solicitation for a youthful victim of unreasonable punishment, it is as restrained in censure as it is righteous in indignation.

There are some passages of plain speaking, but they are mild as compared with what might have been said, and to the end of his reply Father Flanagan is inclined to the charitable belief that Gov. Hartley in denouncing him and his motives has been ill-advised and misinformed.

In upholding the sentence of life imprisonment for a boy of 12, Gov. Hartley said that experts had advised him that the youth is beyond being saved and, when Father Flanagan asked for the boy's release and offered to care for and train him, the Governor stated that the purpose of the request was to obtain nationwide publicity for Father Flanagan's boys' home.

That insult was the small-minded politician speaking the only language that such politicians understand. Publicity is of the breath of their nostrils and they cannot imagine anybody doing anything for any other reason.

Father Flanagan has no such motive. He is a high-minded and splendidly worthy man, conducting a greatly needed and very greatly beneficial institution, and it is an outrage that he should be attacked and his motives questioned simply because he happens to disagree with Gov. Hartley on the proper treatment of a degenerate youth.

According to the very best sociological and penological thought, it is Gov. Hartley who is old-fashioned and reactionary and un-Christian, if not uncivilized, and it is Father Flanagan who is modern and progressive, following alike the Gospel of Christ and the light of modern thought and civilization.

While the Governor is still floundering in the dark ages of punishment as the only cure for crime, the priest sees the light of modern scientific criminology as a gleam of the light of the world.

Convention Trips Banned

Such Journeys May Well Be Forbidden During Hard Times, But Not as a Permanent Policy.

City Council has decided not to pay the expenses of city officials who attend conventions next year of municipal officers doing the same kind of work.

The decision was reached after approving the claims of two deputy fire chiefs for $233 each as reimbursement for expenditures they incurred in attending a convention of fire chiefs in Havana.

City officials of Pittsburgh attend many such conventions annually. No doubt some of these meetings are more in the nature of junkets than anything else, and the taxpayers who pay the expenses of the local delegates gain nothing from them. But it would not be fair to generalize and say that all or most of these conventions are unprofitable to the city.

Studious officials who pay attention to the proceedings may bring back ideas that will save the city many times the cost of their expenses. The exchange of ideas and experiences by officials from numerous cities doing the same kind of work and confronted with the same kind of problems is often useful.

As an emergency measure Council has done well in placing a ban on such convention trips next year at the city's expense. But it should not be made a permanent policy.

Roving Constables

There Is Encouragement in the Plan of the Ethical Officers to Attack the Nuisance.

The right of constables to leave their bailiwicks and go about the county seeking petty violations of the law through which they and the squires with whom they work may profit is to be attacked in the courts.

The Constables' Beneficial and Protective Association has decided to institute a test case.

The association considers the practices of the roving constables unethical and believes them to be illegal.

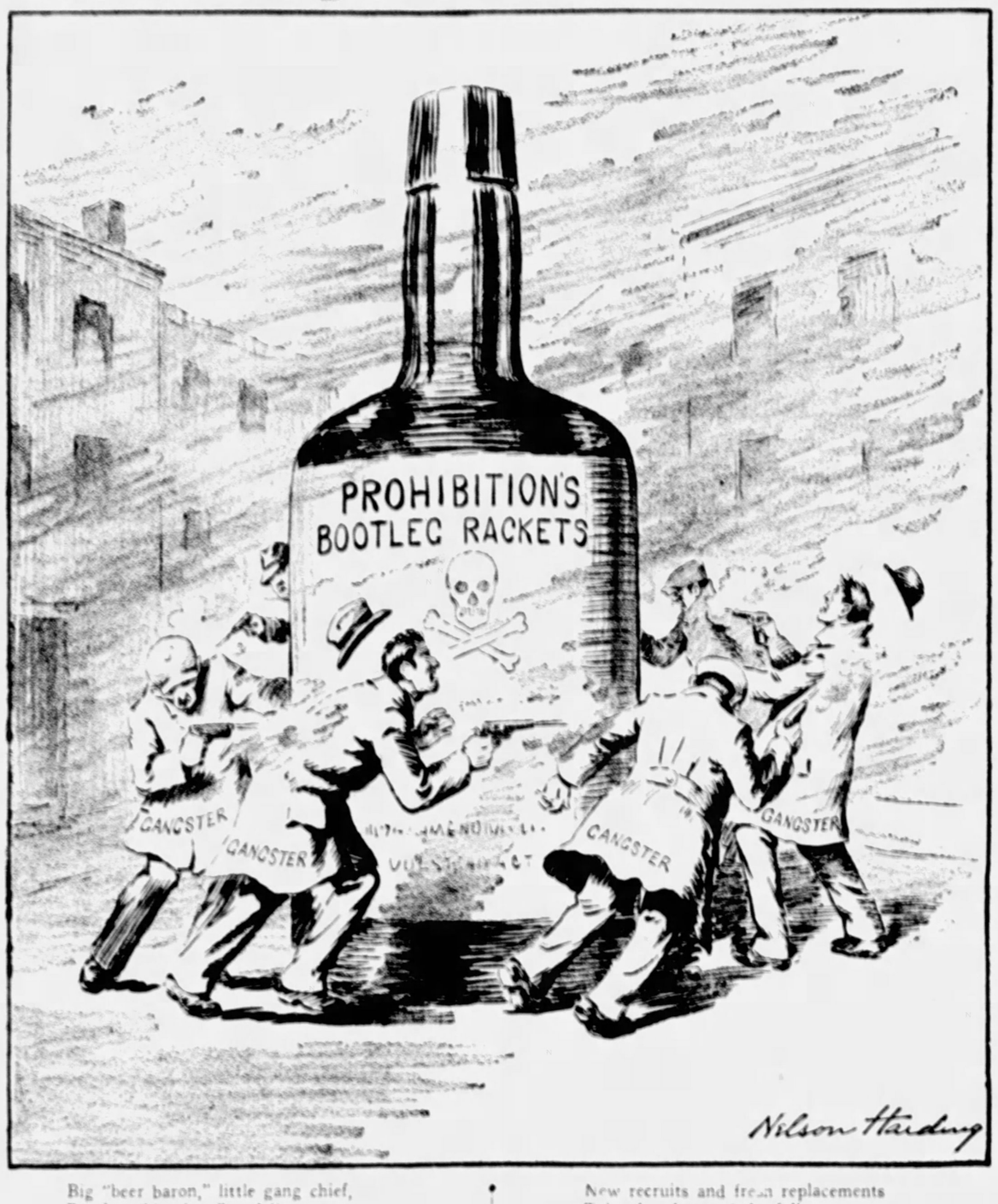
If they are not illegal, they should be made so by act of the Legislature.

The roving constables are a nuisance and a menace. Profiting financially by the discovery of infractions of the dog license laws and other petty technical offenses, they are under constant temptation to find such offenses where they do not exist, and to engage in extortion and blackmail. The Criminal Court records show a number of cases in which roving constables have yielded to this temptation.

As a general rule there is no good reason why a constable should officiate outside of his own bailiwick.

The Rum Ring

By Nelson Harding



Big "beer baron," little gang chief,
Bootleg "big shots" and lieutenants,
Gunman, thug and hired killer,
In an endless chain of murder.

New recruits and fresh replacements
Take the places of the fallen
In the rum ring 'round that bottle
With the death's head as its trade mark!

Bankers Give Us Light

By Claude G. Bowers

Author of "The Struggle for Democracy in America," "Founders of the Republic," "Jefferson and Democracy," "The Tragic Era" and other important works, now writing for the Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

The Democratic leadership in the House of Representatives deserves congratulations on the manner in which the majority conducted itself last week during the rather hectic fight on the moratorium. The more sensational features were reserved for the Republicans, who insisted on washing their dirty linen in public, and apparently there is much of it. It was a prominent Republican from Pennsylvania, but recently honored by his party with the chairmanship of one of the outstanding committees of the House, who made the slashing attack upon the President with the charge that he had sold out the country, and the attacks of a personal character on McFadden came from the Republican side. Somehow in the scrimmage the "high hat" of the Republican was knocked off, but every Democrat had his hand in his pocket. Charges the most serious were passed back and forth on the Republican side, and Representative Watkin served notice that unless these Kilkenny cat fights of the minority would cease to interfere with the nation's business he would ask for an investigation of all the charges.

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Not Loaded Down With German Bonds

The appearance before the Senate committee of Mr. Lamont, of the house of Morgan, and Mr. Mitchell, of the National City Bank, should have some salutary effects. Rumor had bruited it abroad that some of the large banks were "loaded down" with German securities, and that the collapse of Germany might prove disastrous to these institutions. Everyone has heard this talk. The effect has not been to create confidence. The big bankers who were "dragged" before the committee owe a debt of appreciation to the Senators who summoned them. They have been able to convince the country that the rumors are false; that none of the great financial institutions mentioned in the gossip are so loaded down as to cause them serious embarrassment whatever may happen. This is well worth while. The Senate has done for them what a statement from them to the public might have accomplished long ago.

It appears that these German securities are now in the hands of private investors throughout the country who bought them. The banks that sponsored them and passed them on to the country may feel some responsibility to the investors, but they themselves are secure.

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Reparations Do Not Figure in Loans

The distinguished bankers were very chary about the proposal to transfer the debts of other peoples to the backs of American taxpayers. The impression conveyed that they had little or nothing to do with the moratorium will not wash. The late Dwight Morrow was on hand in the White House at the time, and for some time before, and if, as is still insisted, Europe would have collapsed or staggered without the moratorium, there is no reason why the bankers should deny their inspiration.

Nor is it possible to believe that these two distinguished bankers are not more than passively interested in bringing about the transfer—not the "cancellation"—of the debts.

Mr. Mitchell was more outspoken on the subject than Mr. Lamont. The former frankly said he expected to see a scaling down, if not a complete transfer of the debts owing us. In making something of an argument in favor of it he dwelt at some length on the great burden of the reparations on Germany; on the plan to pass the burden on from generation to generation, and he concluded that the youth of Germany ultimately will rebel.

We have never thought that Germany should be asked to bear the whole burden of the war; have always thought the reparations were too heavy; but when we loaned money to the 14 nations allied against Germany there was no suggestion or thought that the payment of the debt was conditional on the payment of all the reparations.

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Why Should Unborn Americans Pay Debt!

By implication Mr. Mitchell would have us believe that the American people are responsible for the reparations—we, who asked and received not one penny of reparations; we, who neither asked nor took one inch of German territory; we, who probably prevented the dismemberment of Germany.

The impression one gets from Mr. Mitchell is that if the nations that demand and receive the reparations drive Germany to desperation we, in some mysterious way, are responsible. If the purpose is to prevent a rebellion of the German youth would it not be more to the point to ask the nations that exact the reparations in full to scale them down? Why should American youth take all the burden and carry it through the years? Senator Reed put this question to the banker:

"Now, why should the progeny of Americans who had nothing to do with the war, the progeny of Americans who were not even alive, pay this war debt, and progeny of the people who started it go scot free? Why is not the psychology that is going to grow up in this country by refusing to cancel these debts going to be a complete checkmate to the psychology abroad that wants to have these debts forgiven?"

There is not much of an answer to that.

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Generosity Creates Impression of 'Suckers'

The truth is that our extraordinary generosity has created the impression that we Americans are the "suckers" that Bernard Shaw calls us. No such proposition as that of taking over the debts of other nations and putting them on the backs of Frenchmen or Italians, for illustration, would ever be made; least of all considered. Should Laval sponsor any such sacrifice for France, how long would the Laval ministry stand?

No one wants to wreck the big banks; but now we have it that the banks are not endangered by these private loans to Germany. The securities are now in the hands of private investors. Surely it is not to be proposed that all the people shall be taxed for many years to the end that investors in foreign securities shall not lose on their investment. There are millions of Americans who have lost on American investments, and no one is proposing that all Americans shall be taxed to make good the losses of investors on the market here. Create the impression that if Americans lose on foreign securities the American people will be taxed to make it good, but if they lose on American investments they lose, and it will be difficult to float American securities in the future as long as foreign securities may be had.

The transfer of the debts to American shoulders is as dead as Alexander the Great.

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Marry-Go-Round

By HELEN ROWLAND

Everybody's Santa Claus

Everybody believes in Santa Claus, these days! That is, everybody except the children, who have been told that he is only a "myth," and strictly forbidden to believe in him.

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But, barring the Tiny Tots, everybody appears to be standing around, "waiting for Santa Claus." Waiting for the Big Surprise, the Big Break, the Big Windfall, that will drop out of the heavens right into his stocking. Never was the world so full of "Micawbers" cheerfully waiting for "something to turn up."

You might think that the Lambs of Wall street, who woke up to find a switch in their stockings, one morning two years ago, would have lost their quaint faith in old Kris Kingle. But you will still find men, here and there, who fondly believe that Santa Claus will pop out of the ticker with a lot of nice big dividends. Oh, goody, goody, goody!

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Every young girl fondly hopes that some day, somehow, somewhere, a benevolent Santa will magically produce that Peerless Paragon, who looks like a movie idol, dances like a fawn, makes love like John Barrymore and money like John D.—and is pining to MARRY.

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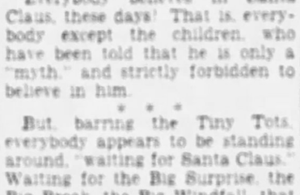
And many a gilded Old Girl sees Santa Claus disguised as Cupid and secretly believes that if she sticks to her diet and her daily dozen, rejuvenation and young love will be her reward from Santa.



But to the gigolo it is the Gilded Mamma, who looks like Santa Claus, with a pack of gold nuggets in her change purse. And to the gold-digger, Santa is a plump elderly gentleman who prefers blondes.

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And for the elderly gentleman, there is a Santa Claus, who will, surely, surely bring him a sweet, unmercenary young thing who will marry him "for love."

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You SEE how it is! Everybody believes in the IMPROBABLE—even you and I!

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Your Santa Claus may be 'way out in Hollywood, just waiting to discover your beauty or your talent. And mine may be an editor or a publisher in New York, who will give me that big idea for a "best seller."

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But the point is, that whether Santa Claus is a "myth" or not, we all DO believe in him; and that's what gives us the heart and the courage to "carry on."

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NEW YORK DAY BY DAY

By O. O. McIntyre

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Grim Reaper made costly sacrifices among notable New Yorkers the passing year—Edison, Morrow, Baker, Bowman and innumerable other leaders in special fields. I have myself suffered the loss of five gifted personal friends in that time.

What has impressed many is the softer attitude toward death the past few years. Whether the aftermath of the war, or a stronger belief in immortality, is not apparent. Certainly there is greater complacency among those touched by such grief.

Seldom is there weeping and wailing at funeral services. Nor swooning mourners falling prostrate at the bier. It is as though death might be the gentle opening and closing of a door through which one passes to a greater consciousness.

Recently a gentleman in a hospital facing the "last enemy" sent this note to his family: "My final request is that none display grief at the funeral. My reason rebels at extinction. I am merely going away a little while."

Perhaps the greatest solace of the generation came from Charles Frohman, on a sinking ship, declaring: "Why fear death? It is the most beautiful adventure in life." And Edison, in coma, murmuring: "I see a beautiful land over there," gave courage, renewed impetus, and ameliorated much doubt.

Mourning habiliments as an outward symbol of inner despair have almost vanished. Shops devoted to such lugubrious costumes have closed during the past few years. Even Harlem is discarding hearts shaped in crepe on the sleeves for its dead.

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What might be turned into one of Alexander Woollcott's boo stories but was, of course, a coincidence, took place an hour ago. Starting through a World Almanac for historical information, I was, for no reason, attracted by a line that William McKinley was the twenty-fifth President. A minute later the phone rang. A writing friend in New Jersey inquired if I happened to know what President McKinley was. As quick as that I screamed: "The twenty-fifth." Adding: "Any time you get stuck, call on the old master."

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Upon another auspicious occasion what appeared to be surprising knowledge was coincidence. As a reporter I was waiting in a famous man's library for an interview. On a table was a volume by a profound writer. Opening it, the first line read: "Magic and science seem to go hand in hand." Later he remarked that he had just been reading the work of a great thinker on evolution and pointed to the volume on the table. "I'll never forget his opening line." I fibbed and quoted: "Magic and science seem to go hand in hand." He verified it and until he passed away sent me hastily scribbled notes to read this and that ponderous book. He thought I was a whiz. And wouldn't it be perfectly killing if he were right. Maybe I'm one of nature's noblemen—in spats at that.

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Wall street no longer refers to a seat on the Stock Exchange. They now call it merely "a squat."

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A celebrated dog trainer writes: "Let your dog know you realize you know more than he." Knowing dogs as well as people, that sounds as egotistical as all get out.

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My culinary tastes at intervals slough to zero and I like to drop into stool and counter spots featuring a smudgy counterman and a huddle of gummy catsup bottles and mustard pots. A sprinkle of sawdust heightens the charm. Such places serve the lustiest in hamburger sandwiches with raw onions. On Eighth avenue the other night, after theater, was an elysium catering to small time vaudeville folk and bearing a name as lazily fanciful as "Dreamthorp." Not quite that but near it!

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LISTEN, WORLD

By Elsie Robinson

Christmas Day—

The birthday of a poor man.

Remember the old story? Perhaps you never heard it . . . plenty of Americans haven't! It's lovely. Listen—

"Now it came to pass in those days, there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be enrolled . . . And all went to enroll themselves, every one to his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth . . . to Bethlehem . . . to enroll himself with Mary, who was great with child.

"And it came to pass, while they were there, the days were fulfilled that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her first born son; and she wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger because there was no room for them in the inn.

"And there were shepherds in the same country, abiding in the field and keeping watch by night over their flock. And suddenly an angel of the Lord stood by them and the glory of the Lord shone about them and they were sore afraid.

"But the angel said unto them—'Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be all the people; for unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Saviour who is Christ the Lord. And this is the sign unto you—YE SHALL FIND A BABE WRAPPED IN SWADDLING CLOTHES AND LYING IN A MANGER.'

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying—'Glory to God in the highest—and on earth, peace among men—'

"And . . . when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another—'Let us go unto Bethlehem and see this thing . . . which the Lord hath made known unto us.' And they came with haste and found both Mary and Joseph, and the Babe, lying in the manger."

The story of a poor man—

The story of a babe born in the manger, because there was no room for his mother in the inn nor any money to pay for better space.

The story of a boy who grew up in poverty . . . eating the lentil soup and black bread of the poor . . . wearing the cheap, coarse clothes his mother spun . . . working beside his father at a carpenter's bench . . . sharing a peasant's hardships and a peasant's fear—

The story of a man who spent his life with other working men . . . who found his friends and followers amongst fishermen and farmers, beggars, blind men, lepers and prostitutes . . . who taught the truth on lonely gypsy trails, in squalid alleys—

The story of a man who died for common men, hung on a wooden cross between two thieves.

Christmas Day—the birthday of a working man.

Not to the proud and the powerful . . . not to those whose eyes were blinded by riches and might . . . but to common people did Jesus come.

To a poor carpenter and his gentle wife—

To tired, lonely shepherds huddled on cold hills—

To simple eyes that still could see a Star—

To simple ears that still could hear a Song—

To simple hearts that still could cradle Love—

Was Jesus born.

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Isn't It So?

A good presence is a letter of recommendation.

Marriage never fails to prove whether or not love at first sight is the real thing.

Many a man has more money than brains who has a mighty small balance in bank.

Another excellent cure for insomnia is to get out of bed at 4 a. m. and follow the plow all day.

The difference between opinions and convictions is this, that men hold opinions and convictions hold men.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

By S. H. Connolly

Fill each blank:

1. Manx is a dialect spoken by people in ————.
2. The most important center of ancient civilization was the ———— Sea.
3. Mount Nebo was the place of the death of ————.
4. Alexander the Great died in ————.
5. Hannibal died by ————.
6. Darius was the last of the ———— emperors.
7. The Sphinx was a personification of the ————.
8. ———— discovered Lake Ontario.
9. The ———— are the forefathers of the Germans and the English.
10. The Chinese Pouchong is a type of ————.

Match correctly:

11. Shaw	Growth of the Soil.
12. Barrie	Cashel Byron's Profession.
13. Wells	Kim.
14. Kipling	Sentimental Tommie.
15. Hamsun	Tono-Bungay.

Answers to today's test:

1. Isle of Man. 2. Mediterranean. 3. Moses. 4. Babylon. 5. Taking poison. 6. Persian. 7. Sun-God. 8. Champlain, 1608. 9. Teutons. 10. Dog. 11. Cashel Byron's Profession. 12. Sentimental Tommie. 13. Tono-Bungay. 14. Kim. 15. Growth of the Soil.

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ONCE OVERS

By J. J. Mundy

You may be a "joiner" who gives little time to the organizations with which you are affiliated.

As a result you get little good or inspiration from any of them.

You think it necessary to belong and were pleased to be asked to join and your ego was satisfied as soon as you were accepted, but you do not give anything that will benefit the members beyond paying your yearly dues.

You sometimes say that you get little out of them, but it really is because you do not put any of yourself into them.

In all worthwhile orders there is much to benefit the member.

But if there is not consistently regular attendance the beauty of the precepts exemplified is lost and the suggestions not personally realized.

To belong to fewer orders and understand them more perfectly is wise.

Most men have too many fraternal interests.

They attend the meetings so infrequently that they really do not get enough out of them to pay for the outlay, but that is their own fault.

There is too much dead timber in practically every organization.

Lodges or orders would be better off without those who merely pay dues.

They are not of benefit to the organizations.

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Text for Today This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you.—John, xv:12.

(Text for today is suggested by the Rev. M. Herbert Messner, pastor, Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Carrick.)